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LOADING COTTON.

The Work of Negroes on the Steamships Down South.

Great Skill Required in the Handling of the Heavy Bales—The Men Always Cheerful and Singing While at Labor.

It is a problem in mechanics to load a cotton ship—to fill every cubic foot of freight room with the awkward rectangular bales—and some men are so much more skilled than others in this science that it often makes a difference of 400 or 500 bales in a 2,000-ton ship and that amount of loss in the profit of the voyage. Therefore, the stevedores and screwmen receive big wages, perhaps the largest that are paid to negroes anywhere in the world, for most of the longshoremen in the South Atlantic are of that race, says the Chicago Record.

In New Orleans they are nearly all white men—Italians, Swedes and Irishmen—and the riots that we read about in the papers were due to the introduction of negro packers and screwmen from Galveston to take the place of the whites.

The screwmen are divided into gangs of five, with a foreman, and the whole are under the direction of a chief stevedore, who is usually a white man, and acts as superintendent of the dock. Each gang occupies a hatchway of the steamer, and five men are all that can conveniently work in such a narrow space.

The cotton comes from the plantation on the cars or upon flatboats. The bales as they leave the plantation are loosely packed—generally four feet high—and the first thing when they reach the dock is to tumble them into a hydraulic press, which reduces their bulk by one-half and makes it possible to pack twice as many in the hold of a steamer.

The truckmen pass back and forth between the pile of bales and the ship in a procession, rapidly and in perfect time, and it is an awkward and "wuthless nigger," as the foreman said, who ever touches a bale with his hands.

Some of them put on jaunty airs, strike attitudes, and introduce fancy steps as if they were at a cake walk, particularly when spectators are watching, but that is unprofessional, and the serious and self-respecting truckman "totes his bales" without trying to attract attention. They sing as they go, but for the life of me I could not catch the words, and when in an interval I asked one to repeat the verses he replied:

"Dey ain't none. Dat wuz jes' de truckers' song."

The refrain sounded like "Oh rio rily oh, oh rio rily oh," and it was evidently nothing but gibberish. It appears that the several gangs have their own particular songs, and I judged from what the foreman told me that the words were usually without meaning, or simply a series of rhythmical sounds with terminations that rhymed, invented by some one of their number and sung to familiar airs.

The truckman drops the bale at the edge of the dock, or tosses it by a jerk of the handles of his truck over the gunwales of the vessel; then a man adjusts the grappling iron and shouts a signal to the engineer at the windlass, who turns his lever, and, hoisting the bale into the air, lets it swiftly down into the hold, where the five artists are waiting to pack it away.

It is hot work below, and the packers and screwmen are usually barefooted and naked above the waists, while perspiration rolls down their massive muscles. Each has a hook in his hand, and they seize and toss the 500-pound bales as a Japanese juggler plays with plates.

Five hooks are in the cotton the instant it touches bottom, and they seem to work like a slot machine, for one does not pull one way and another another, but by united, simultaneous effort the great package is lifted, and drops into the very place where the boss wants it to go.

Then at intervals they get out a big jackscrew that must weigh 500 pounds and crowd the bales together until the hold of the ship is one solid mass. One end of the jackscrew is placed against a bale and the other end against a piece of heavy oak timber four or five inches square, which is notched to keep the screw from slipping, and can be inclined against the side of the ship or one of its stanchions, so that a good purchase may be obtained. The screw is worked by a double crank, and one man holds it in position while the other four turn. That operation is called "nosing up."

All this is done to a musical accompaniment—I suppose a negro always sings when he works—but the songs of the screwmen are different from those of the truckmen, and the air that goes with the jackscrew is not the same that is sung when the screwmen are placing the bale in position.

These stevedores have work only about six months in the year, but while they are at it they receive good pay. They work by the piece—that is, so much money for storing away so many bales, and the foreman, who gets the job and selects his own associates, gets one-half more than they.

During the cotton season, for 12 or 14 hours' work, he will average $7.50 a day and they $5, if they are skillful and energetic. The truckers are paid by the hour, and make from $1.25 to $1.50.

Between seasons the screwmen engage in other occupations, cultivating gardens, doing plantation work, or following any trade that they may have learned; but they are universally regarded as superior beings, like bullfighters in Spain and baseball players in the United States.

A bale of cotton weighs from 450 to 500 pounds, and skillful packers can get from 9,000 to 10,000 bales in a 1,500-ton ship. The number of bales a ship will carry increases rapidly with its tonnage. For example, a 1,000-ton ship will carry 6,000 bales; a 1,500-ton ship, 9,000; a 2,000-ton ship, 15,000, and a 3,000-ton ship, 30,000 bales.

FIGS AND THISTLES.

The father who prays too little will sometimes use the rod too much.

Before you praise a nut, make sure whether it has a kernel or a worm at its heart.

When some men are baptized they first put their pocketbooks where they won't get wet.

NATURAL HISTORY.

Manners and Customs of European Royalties as They Are—Not.

The pomp and ceremony which serve as a barrier between kings, princes and grand duchesses, and Americans of the common or garden kind, render it difficult for the latter to study the manners and habits of the earth's exalted, except at very long range, and if it were not for the information offered us by the makers of cigarette pictures, the artists who design museum posters and other persons possessed of accurate information, it would be impossible to give a satisfactory account of their various modes of life.

But, thanks to the great American taste for advertising, says the Cincinnati Gazette, he who runs may read the story of the daily actions of England's queen and Russia's czar, not to mention other personages of almost equal importance.

From the trusty sources indicated above, one learns that Queen Victoria has in the evening of life developed an extraordinary fondness for various branches of prepared food, many of which are of American manufacture. In the morning she makes careful use of Apple's soap, preparatory to partaking a cup of Steppe's cocoa. At luncheon she tops with Skimple's canned corn beef, and at dinner she will have no dessert but Racy's prepared blanc mange. So particular is her majesty in regard to her favorite articles of food that every package, can and bottle must be adorned with the name of its maker in letters large enough to be easily read by the group of princes, princes, nobles and courtiers who stand at a respectful distance whenever royalty partakes of any proprietary article of food.

The prince of Wales has also been noted for many years for his fondness for extensively advertised toilet preparations and costly brands of cigarettes and champagnes. Whenever there appears on the market a new Turkish cigarette with a gilt mouthpiece, and costing a little more than an imported cigar, we may be sure that his royal highness will contrive to purchase at least one box of the largest size, no matter what economy he may be compelled to practice in other ways to make up for it, and smokes the cigarettes with much ostentation on the terrace in front of Windsor castle or some other equally conspicuous place. On such occasions the prince usually wears a red uniform and is attended by several regiments of lancers.

The late czar of Russia having been brought up from his childhood on a simple diet of caviare tallow candles, vodka, caravan tea, bear's grease, and other products of his native country, never distinguished himself as a consumer of prepared food and drink. He was better known—that is to the frequenters of dime museums—as a mighty hunter of freaks, and up to the day of his death he was regarded as one of the most distinguished and erudite connoisseurs of human monstrosities in all Europe.

According to the unimpeachable testimony of the superb works of art which lure the humble amusement seeker into the temples which are given over to the worship of the eccentric and the deformed, his imperial majesty assisted at the capture of several of the best known freaks of eastern Europe, and was always ready to accord special audiences to those taken in remote portions of his empire. The dog-faced lady, for example, was dragged from her cave in the Balkan mountains by a detachment of the imperial guard, commanded by his majesty in person, and it was the same enlightened sovereign who captured the turtle boy, who sunning himself on a bit of sandy beach on the Caspian sea.

When prevented by officers of state from enjoying the excitement of the freak chase, his majesty always made it a point to give special receptions at the winter palace to such curiosities as were found in his realm, all of which were instantly brought to St. Petersburg that they might receive this special mark of the imperial favor. At these receptions there was always a museum artist in attendance, in order that an accurate representation of the scene might be placed before the American public, and it is through the magnificent oil paintings thus obtained that we know of the fondness of Prince Gortchakof, M. de Giers, Prince Bismarck and other eminent statesmen for the society of human monstrosities destined for the American museum platform.

NOT MADE BY HUMAN HANDS.

Pretty Fable Regarding a Drinking Cup of Marvelous Workmanship.

A drinking horn of marvelous workmanship is one of the relics kept in the church at Oldenburg, Germany, says the New York Commercial Advertiser. It is known throughout Europe as "the horn of Oldenburg," and has a most wonderful history. According to the story, the great Otho of Oldenburg was out hunting, and, becoming exhausted from thirst and fatigue, sank upon the earth with the exclamation: "Oh, God, would I had a cool drink!" The sound of his voice had scarcely died away among the trees of the forest when suddenly a beautiful maiden appeared before him bearing a richly-carved drinking horn, filled to overflowing with cool, sparkling water. Otho was more captivated with the beauty of the horn than he was with that of his fair benefactress, and without even staying to say "Thanks," turned and ran at the top of his speed, carrying the vessel with him. To save himself from the consequences of such a peculiar theft, Otho bestowed the horn upon the church, and to this day the story, as given above, is told by the guides, who display the relic to the gaze of curious visitors.

A Runaway Steamship.

Very few more unpleasant predicaments can be imagined than to be aboard a runaway steamship. The steamship Marchioness, while making the passage from Rothesay to Glasgow, Scotland, met with an accident to her machinery, and the engineers were unable to stop her. The boat raced ahead at terrific speed, and things began to look alarming, until the captain took her out to mid-channel and steered her around in a circle. When the steam was nearly exhausted the runaway was headed for Glasgow, where she was secured by ropes, and the rest of the steam let off.

SELLS SLAVE GIRLS.

How the Queen of Corea Sustains Her Royal Purse.

There are slave girls innumerable around the royal palaces of the hermit kingdom of Corea, says the Philadelphia Press. It is difficult to find out how many there are. One official will say hundreds, another thousands. A consul who has had opportunity to learn the facts in the case says there are about fifteen hundred.

It is equally difficult to learn where they come from. Their appearance shows that they are not from any one stock. Some are Coreans and some are Tonghaks, from Guing-Shang-Do, in the south of the kingdom; some show Japanese blood, others Chinese and still others Manchurian. They are of all sorts and types. All speak Corean and nearly all have a smattering of Chinese. They are all well brought up and quiet, polite and industrious. They begin their career as domestic servants when mere children and are seldom found in the royal establishment after they are twenty-five years old. A few who are unusually good-looking become royal concubines and a large number are taken for the same purpose by the princes and lords of the realm, and, it is said, for a very large price. The rest are sold as commodities to the highest bidder and the proceeds paid into the royal treasury.

The latest available blue book of Corea—1884—in summarizing the royal income, includes these articles:

"Ninety-one thousand nine hundred and seventeen stone of best rice.

"Forty-one thousand four hundred and eighty-four stone of beans.

"One hundred and seventy-two thousand seven hundred and thirteen nyang in money.

"Twenty-four thousand nyang from sale of slave girls."

A nyang is a string of one hundred copper coins, whose value in American money ranges from five hundred to one thousand to the dollar. The market value of a girl in Corea varies from ten to forty dollars. Upon these figures the monarch must raise and sell in the public market every year from thirty to four hundred and eighty young women. The general average would be about two hundred per year. The custom is not so bad as it seems at first sight. The majority are purchased by men for their wives, and a small minority for immoral purposes.

This trade in human beings is considered perfectly legitimate and has come down from time immemorial. It is not confined to the royal palace but is practiced to a certain extent all over Coerea. The custom is followed likewise in China and seems to characterize nearly every Mongolian race.

TOBACCO IN HAVANA.

Smoking Is Done in All Places and at All Times.

I have never seen a Havana man smoking in church, writes a correspondent of the Washington Star. It's about the only place where he does not smoke. He smokes in the street cars, he smokes at the public dining-table, he smokes everywhere. The presence of women is not considered at all. When coffee is brought on the table, the Spaniard or Cuban lights his cigar or cigarette and begins to send up clouds of smoke. He never even thinks of saying to the ladies: "By your leave," for the custom of the country is to smoke everywhere. On the railway trains there is no smoking compartment, for a man is privileged, and, in fact, expected, to smoke everywhere. If he is not smoking, his neighbor will offer him a cigarette. The driver of your coach will smoke and very likely offer you a cheroot. At the opera the man will walk and smoke between the acts in the spaces behind the boxes and balconies. You will see finely dressed, seemingly well-bred men, with ladies in full evening toilet, entering the theater and smoking as they go. You never see a pipe in Cuba. It is the country of the cigar and the cigarette. One of the odd sights to a stranger is that afforded by the negro women, who smoke big, long and black cigars in the street. It was here that the smoking habit, which has spread around the world, had its start, and the Cubans are still more devoted to their cigars than any other people. The cigar industry and the tobacco trade give employment to a large portion of the population of Havana. In every quarter one will run across small establishments where from two to ten men are employed making cigars, and some children and women engaged in stripping tobacco.

VERTICAL WRITING.

Telegraphers Are Mainly Responsible for Its Introduction Here.

If the vertical handwriting which is being taught in our public schools prevails, and becomes the ordinary handwriting, the people who enjoy its advantages will have in large measure the telegraphers to thank for it. They have been the pioneers of vertical writing. For the last twenty years almost every telegraph operator in the country has written a round, vertical hand, plainer than any other sort of handwriting known, with round, fat loops for the letters which drop below the line, and simple capitals. This telegrapher's handwriting has much in common with the English "civil service handwriting," which may have preceded it, but the civil service hand is less often vertical and has certain points of difference. Men's handwriting tends in a general way to conform to the fashion of Roman print prevalent at any time, and as the most ordinary print letter nowadays is of a round or Scottish face, it is not strange on the whole that the tendency in handwriting is toward a round letter. Women's chirography is more capricious in its fashion, though it has inclined pretty steadily now for several years toward angular Briticism.

Painted on a Grain of Corn.

It is said that the smallest piece of painting in the world has recently been executed by a Flemish artist. It is painted on the smooth side of a grain of common white corn, and pictures a mill and a miller mounting a stairs with a sack of grain on his back. The mill is represented as standing on a terrace, and near it is a horse and cart, while a group of several peasants are shown in the road near by. The picture is beautifully distinct, every object being finished with microscopic fidelity, yet by careful measurement it is shown that the whole painting does not cover a surface of half an inch square.

ABOUT CLAY EATERS.

The Disgusting Habit Is Common in All Countries.

Tribes of Indians Who Mix Mud with Their Bread—Some Singular Reasons for the Abominable Practice.

Among the extraordinary passions for eating uncommon things must be reckoned that which some people exhibit for eating earth or clay. Of this practice, which would appear to have once prevailed all over the world, says the Philadelphia Times, numerous examples were cited by Capt. J. G. Bourke, United States army, in the ninth annual report of the bureau of ethnology. In some places the custom has degenerated into a ceremonial, while in others the eating of this strange food still prevails as a kind of necessity to the lives of those who are addicted to it.

The Mexican devotees picked up a piece of clay in the temple of Tezcatlipoca and ate it with the greatest reverence, and also ate a piece of earth in swearing by the sun and earth. But the use of clay by the Mexicans was not merely a matter of ceremony, for the substance seems to have been an esculent in common use. Edible earth was sold openly in the markets of Mexico and appears in the list of foods given by Gomara.

Cabeza de Vaca says that the Indians of Florida ate clay, and that the natives offered him many mesquite beans, which they ate mixed with earth. Venegas asserted that the Indians of California ate earth. The traditions of the Indians of San Juan Capistrano and vicinity show that they had fed upon a kind of clay which they often used upon their heads by way of ornament. The Tatu Indians of California, according to Powers, mix red earth into their acorn bread to make the latter sweet and cause it to go further. Sir John Franklin writes that the banks of the Mackenzie river contain layers of a kind of unctuous mud which the Tinneh Indians used as food during the seasons of famine, and even at other times chew as an amusement. It has a milky taste and the flavor is not disagreeable. The Apache and Navajo branches of the Athabascan family of North American Indians are not unacquainted with the use of clay as a comestible, although among the former it is now rarely used, and among the latter is employed only as a condiment to relieve the bitterness of the taste of the wild potato. In the same manner it is known to both the Zuni and the Tusayan.

In South America, likewise, the eating of clay prevails among the Indians on the banks of the Orinoco, throughout Brazil and on the mountains of Bolivia and Peru.

In western Africa the negroes of Guinea have long been known to eat a yellowish earth called by them "caouac," and the flavor and taste of which is very agreeable to them and said to cause them no inconvenience. Some addict themselves so excessively to the use of it that it becomes to them a real necessity, and no punishment is sufficient to restrain them from the practice of consuming it.

When the Guinea negroes were in former times carried as slaves to the West India islands they were observed to continue the custom of eating clay. But the "caouac" of the American islands, or the substance which the poor negroes attempted to substitute in their new homes for the African earth, was found to injure the health of the slaves who ate it, and so the practice was long ago forbidden and has possibly now died out in the West India colonies. In Martinque, a species of red earth or yellowish tufa was formerly secretly sold in the markets, but the use of it has probably ceased in the French colonies also.

In eastern Asia a similar practice prevails in various places. In the island of Java, between Sourabaya and Samarang, Labillardiere saw small square reddish cakes of earth sold in the villages for the purpose of being eaten. These were found by Ehrenberg to consist for the most part of the remains of microscopic animals and plants which had lived and been deposited in fresh water. Some of the Japanese, too, are addicted to the practice of eating earth. Dr. Love, some time ago, published an analysis of a clay which is eaten to a considerable extent by the Ainos; it occurs in a bed several feet thick in the valley of Tsie-tonal (eat-earth valley) on the north coast of Yesso. It is light gray in color and of fine structure. The people mix with the clay fragments of the leaf of some plant for the aromatic principle it contains.

They eat the earth because they think it contains some beneficial substance, not because it is a necessity with them. They have meat and abundance of vegetable food. The clay is eaten in the form of a soup. Several pounds are boiled with lily roots in a small quantity of water, and afterward strained. The Ainos pronounce the soup very palatable.

In Runjut valley, in the Sikkim Himalaaas, a red clay occurs which the natives chew, especially as a cure for the goitre.

In Smith's "Aborigines of Victoria," it is stated that a kind of earth, pounded and mixed with the root of the "mene" (a species of Haemadorum), is eaten by natives of west Australia.

Horse-Power of a Bicyclist.

A French scientist has recently made some experiments which show the amount of force developed by some of our bicycle cracks during a hard race. American cyclists have maintained for two minutes a speed to continue which required the expenditure of energy representing two-thirds of one horse power. For six seconds they were able to exert the astonishing force of one and a fourth horse power. This is equivalent to raising a weight of one hundred and eighty-eight pounds 1 yard high in one second. Experiments are also being made to determine the force exerted by different sports. These results will be of great use for training and hygienic data. One of the discoveries made during the calculation of force exerted by bicyclists is that at high speed the work of a bicyclist in covering a specified distance is as great as that of a man running the same distance. At a moderate speed a runner undergoes three times the labor of a bicyclist, but the higher the speed the nearer are their exertions equalized.

CLIPPINGS OF SCIENCE.

The rare operation of amputation at the hip was recently performed at Cincinnati.

Prof. Helmholtz's library has been bought by direction of Chancellor von Hohenlohe for the Imperial Institute of Technical Physics in Berlin.

The new photograph of the heavens which is being prepared by London, Berlin and Parisian astronomers shows 68,000,000 stars.

The nearest approach to the north pole was on May 13, 1882, when Lieut. Lockwood stood within 396 miles of that coveted spot.

When a portion of the brain is removed it seems to be renewed, but whether the substance is true brain tissue or not appears to be undetermined.

Wheat can be grown in the Alps at an elevation of 3,600 feet; in Brazil at 5,000; in the Caucasus at 8,000; in Abyssinia at 10,000; in Peru and Bolivia at 11,000.

Prof. Young finds by investigation that the sun's light is about 300,000 times as great as the moon's. If, therefore, the sky was covered with full moons, they would give but one-eighth as much light as the sun.

A Japanese chemist, Jokichi Takamine, has discovered a new method of preparing diastase and some other substances from a plant called Eurotium oryzae. Diastase is a fermentative agent much more powerful than yeast.

Ceres was the first of the asteroids to be discovered, and it was found on the first day of the nineteenth century. Situated in the midst of the broad gap of space that lies between the orbits of Mars and Jupiter, its mean distance from the sun is about 257,000,000 miles.

M. Fremont has proved by experiment that water kept for twenty minutes at 176 degrees Fahrenheit loses all the deleterious germs it may have contained without being deprived of its gases or precipitating the salts contained in it, and that the flavor is not modified by the process.

FEMININITY.

Mrs. N. M. Richardson is a practicing attorney in Lincoln, Neb.

Miss Susanne Adams is another American girl who has just made a successful debut at the Grand Opera house, Paris.

The princess of Wales has a tea service consisting of sixty pieces, and every piece has upon it a photograph taken by the princess in Scotland.

Mrs. Talmage, wife of Dr. Talmage, recently received a bequest of $13,000 from a woman who was a stranger to her, and to whom she gave a seat in a street car.

Mrs. Scott, the widow of Judge Lucien Scott, of Leavenworth, Kan., manages her own ranch in Texas, where she owns 260,000 acres of land, all fenced in, over which six or seven thousand cattle are browsing.

In Bosnia the two women doctors appointed by the Austrian government a few years ago, Dr. Theodora Krajewska and Dr. Bohuslava Keck, seem to have overcome the prejudice of the Mohammedan population against them. They had over six hundred Mohammedan patients between them last year.

FOREIGN CLIPPINGS.

The river Rhine flows at three times the rate of the Thames.

The crown worn by Queen Victoria weighs forty ounces.

The population of the German empire is increasing at the rate of 500,000 a year.

The heaviest of the foreign woods are the pomegranate and the lignum vitae, and the lightest is cork.

Up to the present time the Necropolis company, the biggest undertakers in England, have buried 126,000 bodies.

The long-distance telephone between Paris and London has over two hundred calls a day. At the rate of two dollars for each call it pays.

In all, it has been estimated that over two million acres are devoted to the maintenance of deer in Scotland, and that about five thousand stags are annually killed.

In 1861 the cold was so severe in eastern Europe that packs of starving wolves entered Vienna, and all the canals of Venice were frozen, and the principal mouth of the Nile was blocked with floating ice for a week.

Sufficiently Rewarded.

The latest joke at the expense of the French Society for the Protection of Animals is to the following effect: A countryman armed with an immense club presents himself before the president of the society and claims the first prize. He is asked to describe the act of humanity on which he founds the claim.

"I saved the life of a wolf," replies the countryman. "I might have easily killed him with this bludgeon," and he swings his weapon in the air, to the immense discomfort of the president.

"But where was this wolf?" inquires the latter; "what had he done to you?"

"He had just devoured my wife," was the reply.

The president reflects an instant and then says: "My friend, I am of opinion that you have been sufficiently rewarded."

BOOKS AND WRITERS.

Mr. J. Varnum Fletcher, of Belmont, Mass., has given the town of Wertford, Mass., $10,000 for a public library.

When placing himself under medical advice Carlyle once told a doctor: "I'll do anything ye tell me, but ye maunna stop ma pipe."

Mrs. Burnett's "Little Lord Fauntleroy" has just been brought out in a French translation at the Comedie Parisienne as "Le Petit Lord," with great success.

Sir John Lubbock's daughter is treading in her father's footsteps. "Some Poor Law Questions," an explanation of the workings of the present laws and proposed changes, by Miss Gertrude Lubbock, is announced by Murray.

Joseph Austin Strong, the Oakland (Cal.) boy, who is heir to one-half of Robert Louis Stevenson's estate, is described as bright and prepossessing in appearance. His father, Joseph D. Strong, was one of Mr. Stevenson's intimate friends.

ITALIAN LEGAL FUNCTIONARIES

Minor Officials Who Are Poorly Paid for Their Services.

In Italy any unfortunate who owes 10 per cent. finds his little debt run up by sheriffs' officers, tribunal expenses and all the manifold charges of notaries, attorneys and advocates to 200 per cent. before he has time to breathe or realize the situation, and the forced sales are so conducted that the property sold produces nothing for anyone except the state and the auctioneers. The state takes its percentage first, says the Fortnightly Review, before even the creditors, and thus is caused the avidity by which all state officials and myrmidons drag to ruin, by intrigue and extortion, a large majority of the Italian taxpaying public. Note the salaries paid to the officials of the tribunals in Italy and judge if such officials are not invited and forced to ruin the mass of the people.

Where a county court judge in England has £1,000 or £2,000 a year, he receives here the equivalent of £40, or perhaps £30, per annum. All the lesser functionaries are paid in proportion. The giudice conciliatore, who answers to the juge de la paix in France, and to the police magistrate in England, is paid sometimes at the rate of £20 per annum, sometimes not at all; the pockets of the appellants at his court must maintain him. It can readily be understood that all these hungry functionaries of the law, big and little, live on the public perforce, and that almost any iniquity or injustice may be obtained under their rule if money be largely enough and secretly enough expended. "Your splendor is my dishonor," said Bacon to his magnificent liveried serving men, who rose to meet him when he entered court to stand upon his trial.

The Italian functionaries may say to the Italian Themis: "That we have coats to our backs and rings on our fingers is your dishonor, for you do not pay us enough to enable us to get either honestly." Notwithstanding this miserable pay which they receive, Italy spends on the administration of law 125,000,000f.—i. e., 7,000,000f. more than France (in comparison to the population) and 12,000,000f. more than England. The public who contribute all these millions get little or nothing for their money.

HIGH EXPLOSIVES.

Each Great Nation Has One and Experiments with It Secretly.

Every great power has its own special high explosive with which its shells are filled. All the high power explosives, however, are in a more or less experimental stage, and wet gun cotton is the material upon which most reliance is placed, says the New York World. There is no doubt of the efficacy of the tremendously powerful explosives which have recently been invented, so long as they can be exploded among the enemy. When subjected to the enormous impact which is necessary to obtain the required velocity of two thousand feet per second, or thereabouts, they are almost as likely to explode before leaving the gun as afterward. If this difficulty is overcome the next question is to prevent the shell from exploding before penetrating the object which it is fired.

The French pin their faith to melinite, which has been very thoroughly tested. Shells filled with this composition have been fired through ten inches of armor without exploding. The shells in this instance left the gun's muzzle with a velocity of two thousand feet per second. The English are doubtful of the safety of melinite and use a composition called lyddite. It gets its name from Lydde, in Wales, where it is manufactured. The lyddite shells have been successfully fired through five inches of armor.

Ecrasite is used by Austria. Its composition is a secret known only to the two inventors, who are Austrians. This explosive has been found to have especial destructive power when used against earthworks.

Sweden has decided upon the invention of a Swede, which is called bellite. While it has not as much explosive force as many of the other compositions, yet it is claimed to be more stable. Its powers of preservation are also much greater. The United States has been making exhaustive trials of a gun cotton known as emmenrite. The air guns of the Vesuvius were designed for discharging emmenrite shells, but they did not prove satisfactory. Recently emmenrite has been successfully fired from a high-power gun with a velocity of over two thousand feet.

EVERYBODY IS SUPERSTITIOUS.

Point Argued by a Louisville Second-Hand Dealer Who Has Observed.

"I don't believe there is a man living who is without his pet superstition," remarked a second-hand furniture dealer, says the Louisville Courier-Journal. "We constantly have people who sell us articles of household use, and come in after a few weeks—sometimes only days—and try to buy them back again, with the explanation that they had 'had bad luck' ever since the sale was made and never would have good luck again until the bargain was undone. One woman who had sold us her grandmother's clock fairly wept because it was gone before she could buy it again.

"The idea is not confined to uneducated or ignorant people, by any means. At this very time I know a Louisville business man of great culture and refinement who is vigorously pursuing an old wooden desk which he owned many years ago—a desk on which he made an enormous amount of money by a few lucky strokes of his pen. The desk passed from hand to hand and out of his possession; he is now earnestly endeavoring to trace it and purchase it, believing that recent business reverses and hard times will flee away if he can only stretch his legs once more under that same old desk."

Sounds Too Fine to Hear.

Sir John Lubbock believes from his study of ants that they cannot hear many of the noises which are audible to men, and it is inferentially believed that there are some sounds too fine and others too loud for the ears of men. The London Spectator thinks that if light is a vibration there is no reason it should not be audible to finer ears than ours. By the same rule music ought to shine to eyes which are capable of appreciating the same vibrations which impress themselves on the drum of the ear. That, however, is poetry.

Cambria Freeman.

EBENSBURG, CAMBRIA CO., PA.,

FRIDAY, - - - - JUNE 14, 1895.

OHIO is disposed to rub it in on Governor McKinley. During his last attack of absence from the state they lynched another man out there.

FLAG day will be the next holiday. It will be some balm to the wounded spirit of Jingoes that flag day hasn't been pulled down by the administration.

A general decrease of the area devoted to wheat throughout the entire wheat raising region is reported, due both to low prices and the winter killing of the crop.

IT is becoming more and more evident that the agricultural department will never be as popular with the beef trust as the United States senate was with the sugar trust.

PRESIDENT CLEVELAND announced on Friday evening the appointment of Attorney General Olney as secretary of state, and of Judson Harmon, of Cincinnati, as attorney general.

THE Chinese minister has formally delivered to President Cleveland a letter of thanks from the Chinese emperor for the kindly efforts of the United States to restore peace between China and Japan. It was handsomely encased in royal yellow silk.

A MODEL (?) newspaper is to be printed in Chicago. It will have no Sunday issue, and the Monday issue will be set up on Saturday night. Crime will be ignored completely, and only things which shall picture the world as a thing of sunshine and goodness will be printed.

THE conclusion of the Philadelphia judges to wear gowns while sitting on the bench for the purpose as stated by one of the judges to "impress upon witnesses and spectators the respect due the law" is but a reminder that there are some judges who are d—n fools just like other people.

A PANHANDLE stock train was wrecked at Skelly's station, below Steubenville, Friday, and ten cars filled with sheep, hogs, horses and mules took fire from the engine and were consumed. The scene was a most horrible one, and the wild frenzy of the poor tortured animals was most pitiful and heartrending.

SENATOR TOM CARTER, chairman of the national Republican executive committee, is reported to have said in Washington: "The Rocky mountain and Pacific coast country in my judgment will work industriously to secure the nomination of Senator Cameron for the presidency. He is a sound protectionist and a fearless advocate of the cause of true bimetallism."

IN ascertaining the number of births and deaths in a township it is not necessary for the assessor to make a special tour of the district, because this information can be collected at the same time the registry lists are being made out. If the assessors go over the township for the names of the voters, as they should, they will have no extra travel in collecting the other data.

THERE are now living only four survivors of the battle of Waterloo. Taken in connection with the fact that, according to our pension bureau, there are still many survivors of the war of 1812, the circumstance speaks favorably for longevity on this side of the Atlantic—a longevity possibly due to some extent to the generosity of a grateful country in the matter of pensions.

THE London *Iron and Steel Trades Journal* says that No. 10 wire, manufactured in Chicago, was recently offered in Liverpool by a representative of the American manufacturers at $31 20 per ton delivered, the cost of freight from Chicago being about $10.20. This, it says, is a marvelous change in a few years, since England used to supply the United States with a good deal of wire.

THE London *Telegraph* publishes a Shanghai dispatch saying it is almost certain that all persons connected with the English, French, and American missions at Cheng Tu have been massacred. The Chinese admit that telegrams have been stopped by government orders. A French gunboat has gone to Chang to inquire into the matter. Virtually the whole province of Canton is in a a state of anarchy, the rival factions raiding each other.

THE big Democratic victory in Wilmington on Saturday will be very encouraging to Democrats everywhere. That little Delaware should again line up in the Democratic column proves the weakening of Republican confidence inspired by their big victory of last year and the strengthening of Democratic hopes. The calamity howl, such as it was, did its work when times were bad, but different conditions prevail now, and from this time on Democratic victories will be the rule.

HERE is a frank statement of the case from the Philadelphia *Ledger*: "A senate committee spent $32,000 of the state's money in ascertaining that Senator Laubach had been elected from Northumberland county and so declared. Then, without the taking of any new testimony, but under political pressure, the committee voted to give Senator Laubach's seat to his Republican contestant, Mr. Heller. It was a gift in the true sense of the word, and a rather expensive one, and was made in violation of the twice ascertained will of the people."

IT is the duty of the people of this community, says the York *Gazette*, to know what is what on the currency question.

It is your duty, you who are reading these lines, to study this question so that you can act intelligently on it either in conversation or at the polls.

You are interested in the question no matter what your business or profession may be. It might be difficult to point out the particular way in which each person would be injured by the adoption of free silver coinage in this country, but it is not difficult to point out the general disaster which would follow and which you, whoever you may be, would inevitably share.

What is meant by the free and unlimited coinage of silver? It means that anyone can take silver to the mint and get in exchange for it the same weight in silver money, that is, he can have his silver turned into money without paying for it. That is free coinage.

We now have free coinage of gold, but the mints will pay for silver only its value as bullion, measured in gold which is the standard or basis. The United States can now get enough silver to make a silver dollar for fifty cents. If we had free coinage of silver the United States would have to pay one dollar for enough silver for a silver dollar. This is just the same thing as if congress should pass a law that whenever the United States buys anything it must pay twice as much for it as anybody else.

Bimetallism means the free coinage of both gold and silver, no matter at what ratio they are coined. The coinage ratio now is 16 to 1, that is, the silver in a silver dollar weighs 16 times as much as the gold in a gold dollar, but the amount of gold in a gold dollar is worth as much as the amount of silver in two silver dollars.

If we had free coinage of both these metals the United States would be issuing as money of ultimate redemption coins of different value, that is, a dollar of one metal would not be equal to a dollar as a commodity; in other words, we would be issuing money of two standards. It is impossible to have to standards. Either it would be gold or it would be silver. It could not be both.

Foreign nations and even our own people would insist upon being paid in gold rather than in silver because, while nominally the same, yet the gold would be actually worth twice as much. The inevitable result would be that gold would go out of circulation in this country and we would have nothing but silver money, putting us at once on a silver basis.

Nobody would have any gold coined because he could get twice as much for it as bullion. The amount of gold in a gold dollar, if sold to a manufacturer, would bring two dollars; if taken to the mint would bring one dollar.

We would have silver monometallism. We would have substituted silver for gold and all the money in the United States would have fallen one-half in value, debts would be paid in cheaper money, wages would buy only one half as much, foreign capital would be withdrawn, the national credit would be destroyed, and a period of unexampled panic and depression would set in.

R. G. DUNN & Co's. weekly review of trade says: The tide of business is rising, even as it was falling two years ago, with surprising rapidity. The gain has gone so far and so fast in some branches that the more conservative fear it may not be maintained. But the period of dullness which comes in each market after an unusual rise brings as yet nothing like a corresponding decline. Industries gain much, halt or fall back a little, and then gain once more. The demand for consumption steadily increases as the employment and wages of the people increase. The demand for money expands. One serious question remains, whether the crops will be full enought to sustain a large business. But the worst reports to-day are better by far than the estimates recently current.

Iron is pushing upward like the great buildings into which so much of it goes and the advance in finished product has become general. Of structural steel 12,600 tons was turned out in May by the Homestead works, breaking the record, and price rose to 1.3 cents for beams and 1.2 for angles. Coke producers are said to have substantially agreed upon sales by an agency and allotment of output and advance in price to $1.50 or higher.

This and purchases of 50,000 tons by the largest producer of pig iron have raised Bessemer to $12 at Pittsburg, and southern pig has again been advanced 25 cents, making 75 in all. Activity in stocks cannot be expected with crops in doubt and the average of prices closed 37 cents per share lower for railroads and 46 cents for trusts.

The flow of money hither from the interior has not ceased, but has much lessened, and banks report a general increase in discounts for the country.

Failures for the week have been 195 in the United States against 216 last year and twenty-five in Canada against forty last year.

THE legislation of the last session provided 12 new judges for the state, and it is a question if one was needed. The intermediate court bill makes provision for seven judges at $7,500 a year, and the judicial apportionment for five new common pleas judges, two of them in counties—Washington and Westmoreland—where Governor Hastings vetoed special bills creating new judgeships on the ground they were unnecessary. Of these 12 judgeships the Democrats are allowed one of the superior judges and will probably elect the common pleas judge in Greene county, with a fair chance in Westmoreland.

EVERY mineral and metal of value in the arts or industries is found within the United States. Every precious stone known to the lapidary has been found within the limits of the United States.

Washington Letter.

Washington, June 8, 1895.—President Cleveland surprised a great many people when he tendered the secretaryship of state to Attorney General Olney, but there was nothing surprising about it to those who are familiar with the workings of the administration. On the contrary, it appears to them to have been the logical thing to do. Attorney General Olney is thoroughly familiar with the foreign policy of the government. Indeed, it is not stretching the truth to say that he had a hand in the formulation of that policy, as he was in constant consultation with President Cleveland and the late Secretary Gresham whenever any important move was contemplated. What then was more natural than that he should be selected to fill the vacancy? He is thoroughly familiar with all the unfinished negotiations now pending with various countries, more so than an able outsider could possibly become after months of study. It is altogether probable that Mr. Olney would have preferred remaining at the head of the department of justice had he considered it merely as a question of personal preference.

Secretary Carlisle will return to Kentucky to deliver the speech which was postponed on account of Secretary Gresham's death, and it is possible that he may while there make other speeches. The news from Kentucky is not altogether pleasing to Democrats who desire the success of the party. The Republicans of the state are said to be enthusiastic over their prospects of success, which would not exist if the Democrats were united as they ought to be. There have been several conferences of prominent Democrats to discuss ways and means for bringing the Democrats together, not only in Kentucky but in other states where there seem to be a disposition to think there are enough Democrats to form two parties.

General A. L. New, of Denver, who is collector of internal revenue for the district composed of the states of Colorado and Wyoming, and who is one of the most popular Democrats of his section, is in Washington on official business. Speaking of the political situation he said: "If Colorado keeps on increasing her gold output in the same ratio that she has of late, I wouldn't be surprised to see her classed as a single standard gold state within five years. The discoveries of the yellow metal at Leadville and Cripple Creek have been astonishing, and the people are gradually ceasing to talk about the demonetization of silver. I doubt very seriously whether the Democrats could carry the state in the Presidential election for a free silver candidate."

The opinion is general among Democrats who come from New York and Brooklyn that the voters in those towns have had quite enough of professional reformers and will restore the control to the Democrats at the next election. Mr. W. H. Belford, of the latter city said. "In Brooklyn there is deep disgust at the way things are run. On Sundays the whiskey shops are in full blast, yet it is impossible for a man to get shaved. The conditions are ripe for a return of the Democrats to power on both sides of the East river, and if they put up good candidates they will win without any trouble.

"Look out for a big row at Cleveland," remarked a prominent Republican who occasionally gives a newspaper man a pointer. He was referring to the national convention of the national league, which begins a three days session at Cleveland, Ohio, on the 16th inst. And well he might say look out for a big row. One is certainly brewing, and nothing but the most careful management can avoid it. It has been clear for some time that an attempt would be made to commit the convention on the silver question; also to use it to boom one of the quartette of leading aspirants for the Republican presidential nomination. Unless both of these attempts can be sidetracked a fight that may result in splitting the Republican party seems inevitable.

President Cleveland this week removed from office Mr. Charles B. Morton, auditor of the treasury for the navy department. No official explanation has been made, but it is understood that the removal was in part brought about by letters written by Mr. Morton, in which the names of President Cleveland and Secretary Carlisle were used in a disrespectful manner. It is probable also that a long line of difficulties which Mr. Morton has had with naval officials, about which Secretary Herbert complained to the president had something to do with it; likewise some deals reported to have been made by Mr. Morton in connection with Federal offices in Maine. M.

Convicted the Court.

Perry, Okla., June 9.—George Parker, a citizen of Alva, Okla., was arraigned a few days ago before Judge Goodwin for drunkeness and disorderly conduct. Judge Goodwin impaneled a jury of 12 men to try the case, who returned a verdict of guilty against the court. The verdict read:

"We find the defendant, George Parker, not guilty as charged; but we find the judge of this court guilty of the offense charged against the defendant, and that the costs in this case be assessed against him."

Since the trial, Parker has had the judge arrested for drunkenness in office. The jury was composed of the best men in town.

Cuban Rebels Still Triumphant.

Santiago De Cuba June 12.—Maximo Gomez has reached Puerto Principe and crossed the frontier. He had about 2,000 men with him and has succeeded in evading the government troops sent to head him off. The invasion of of Puerto Principe means that the insurrection which has so far been confined to the Santiago province is extending westward. In Puerto Principe province hundreds of Cubans are joining Gomez. General Campos has asked for additional troops to suppress this new uprising.

A Peacemaker Murdered.

Finleyville, Pa., June 9.—Another murder was committed here last night at a colored dance about 11 o'clock. John Williams took offense at a remark made by another man, when Joe Harris stepped up to peacify them. Williams asked Harris if he intended to take the other man's part, and he received a reply in the negative, but Harris said he did not want to see any fussing. Williams pulled his revolver and shot Harris through the head. Harris died a few hours later. The murderer made his escape.

Struck by an Engine and Killed.

Portland, Me., June 12.—Rufus M. Merill, aged 79, a well-known shipbuilder, while walking on the Portland and Rochester road to-day was struck by an engine and received injuries from the effects of which he died two hours later. His dog, his constant companion for many years, tried to drag his master from the track, and had both hind legs cut off. Mr. Merill seemed more concerned about his dog than about himself.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report

Royal Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE

Whitney Will Not Run.

Boston, June 10.—Ex-Secretary of the Navy W. C. Whitney was interviewed at the home of his mother, at Brookline, last night. He said:

"I am not and will not be a presidential candidate. If the silver men should carry the next Democratic convention it would split the party right in two. The Democrats must stand for sound money. I think the people will eventually treat this question the same as they did the greenback question. They want sound money now just as much as they did then."

Mr. Whitney intimated that an organized sound money educational movement was necessary. It was suggested that there would probably be hard work for him to do in the next convention, and Mr. Whitney smiled as he said: "Well, I shall be on hand in the struggle, if there is an intellectual one, for sound money, you may be assured."

Quarrel with Germany.

Bath, N. J., June 10.—David Rothschild, a leading business man of Bath, has received a letter from his brother, Morris Rothschild, who went to Germany last month, stating that an attempt was made to force him into the German army. He was put in prison, his naturalization papers taken, and it was decided he must serve in the army. David Rothschild will put his case before the state department. Herman Fick, of Patterson, N. J., a naturalized American citizen, is also in prison in Germany, and must serve in the army.

Just before the illness began which subsequently caused his death, Secretary Gresham received some startling information concerning the continued imprisonment of American citizens in Germany, and although his illness prevented immediate action on the matter, the department has now taken hold vigorously.

Price of Steel Rails.

Philadelphia, June 10.—The Bulletin of the American Iron and Steel Association, the organ of the iron and steel manufacturers of this county, in its issue of to-day says that an advance will soon be made in the price of steel rails. Notwithstanding the fact that in 1894 there was a great decline in the price of all kinds of iron and steel, Bessemer steel rails of standard weight remaining at $24 per ton the entire year. Bessemer pig iron, steel billets, finished bars, etc., fell in price during the present year from $1 to $3 per ton, but steel rails remained at the same figure, regardless of the declines in other prices.

In January of the present year, the price of rails was reduced $2 per ton to $22, and the latter figure has ruled since the first of the year. The old price of $24 will, however, in all probability, be be restored at an early day.

Sunday Conflagration.

Baltimore, June 9.—One of the most disastrous conflagrations that ever visited here occurred on East Monument street to-day. One hundred persons were rendered homeless and $125,000 went up in smoke. The fire broke out a little before 11 o'clock in the plaining mill of A. Storick & Co. The flames spread to the lumber ward adjoining and then to several dwellings. Ten houses adjacent on East Monument street and nine residences on North Front street in the rear, were gutted, the burned area covered covered over 1,000 square feet. The plaining mill, with its valuable machinery and thousands of dollars worth of valuable material, and the yard which contained over 100,000 thousand feet of lumber, were wiped away by the flames.

There was but little insurance on the houses or their contents. Storick & Co. were insured for $4,000.

Terrible Loss.

Berlin, June 9.—The Wurtemberg *Staats Anzeiger*, of Stuttgart, prints a minutely detailed account of the storms which recently swept through Alsace, Baden, Wurtemberg, southern Bavaria and the territory along the Danube and Rhine valleys. The hail which accompanied the storm entirely destroyed the vines and crops and the immense district is submerged, presenting the appearance of a vast inland sea. The bodies of thousands of animals are strewn in every direction or are floating about on the surface of the water. It is yet impossible to estimate the extent of the damage done, but it is enormous.

At Balingen, as the result of the overflowing of the river, 112 persons are known to have lost their lives. A large number of houses were destroyed and thousands of people are homeless.

Quay County is Democratic.

Hazleton, Pa., June 9.—One of the curious things about the new Quay county is that it will be Democaatic. The Wilkesbarre Republican leaders concede that the Democrats will control it. This is one of the things that the Republicans elsewhere were not banking upon. Last fall the towns and townships in the new county gave William M. Singerly, for governor, about 1,200 majority. There is now a proposition to call it Coxe county, after the late ex-Senator Eckley B. Coxe, the great coal operator, of Drifton. He was a staunch Democrat, and, as the people will decide upon a name, they will probably vote in favor of one borne by a leading Democrat, rather than the astute head of the Republican forces.

Wept Over a Wrong Corpse.

Cleveland, O., June 7.—A hymn was being sung over the supposed remains of Henry C. Glassman this afternoon when the undertaker walked in and informed the mourners that they were weeping over the wrong corpse.

Glassman disappeared more than two weeks ago. A body was found in the river, which was identified as his. His wife paid for the coffin, notified the Foresters, of which Glassman was a member, to conduct the services and saw that proper steps were taken to secure her insurance money.

The body was that of John W. Linson, of Stratford, Ont. The funeral broke off abruptly and the body will be sent to Canada. Glassman has not been heard of yet.

Jumped From the Brooklyn Bridge.

New York, June 12.—David Cohen, aged 22, jumped from the Brooklyn bridge at 11 o'clock this morning and was picked up by a ferryboat uninjured. He said he couldn't make a living and wanted to die.

NEWS AND OTHER NOTINGS.

—A bill to give veteran soldiers preference in appointments was vetoed by Governor Greenha'ge, of Massachusetts.

—Charles C. Harrison, of Philadelphia, has donated $500,000 to the University of Pennsylvania in honor of his father.

—In a freight train wreck at Dixon, Ill., on Sunday, Fireman Louis Brooks and Brakeman John Wadley were killed.

—Including Secretary Gresham, ten members of the cabinet have died in office since the foundation of the government.

—The absence of bluebirds is noted in every part of the country, and all the bird sharps are wondering what has become of them.

—Special timber agents estimate that 17,500,000 feet of lumber has been stolen from Northern Wisconsin government lands.

—The Chinese government levies a regular tax on beggars, and gives them in return the privilege of begging in a certain district.

—In a freight train wreck at Sidney, O., three tramps were killed on Monday. One of them was known as Edward Evans, of Pittsburg.

—As he sat upon a keg of powder in a Wilkesbarre mine, Joseph Smith struck a match and is now dying as a result of the explosion that followed.

—The United States authorities are on the war path against cattle companies and private individuals guilty of fencing in Colorado public lands.

—J. B. Beatty, treasurer of Company B, N. G. P., of Huntington, Pa., it is alledged, deserted his wife and family and took with him $250 of the company's money.

—The charred remains of three persons were found in the embers of 14 freight cars, wrecked and burned on the Iron mountain, near Benton, Ark., Thursday.

—A well-equipped party of 300 left Key West, Fla., to join the Cuban revolutionists. A homing pigeon brought a message of the save arrival of the party in Cuba.

—A Parsee sacred fire, which is burning in a temple at Leigull, is known to have not been extinguished since the days of Rapbereth, who lived 12 centuries ago.

—Most of the employes of the Myers shovel works at Beaver Falls, Pa., who struck for an advance of 10 per cent, have returned to work. Some will not be taken back.

—William McCauley and Charles Myers were thrown from a wagon over an embankment at Canton, O. McCawley was instantly killed and Myers slightly injured.

—The fish in Fox river, Illinois, are dying with a strange disease, a sort of fungus growth, and great alarm is felt in Elgin, Ill., which gets its drinking water from the river.

—The State Board of Charities is expected to inspect the Schuylkill county almshouse in response to charges made against the steward by a doctor and one of the directors.

—A party of seven persons were swept away while crossing a swollen stream near Douglas, Wyo., four of them being drowned—Mrs. Elder and her baby and Mrs. Powell and her baby.

—It is said that armed deputy marshals have been placed in the distilleries controlled by the whiskey trust. The receivers are said to fear a raid by the original owners of the plants.

—Hard water is nothing more than water containing carbonate of lime in solution. When the water is free from lime, it is called soft water. Almost all spring water is hard. Rain water is soft.

—The body found in a woods near Sharon, Pa., last Saturday, has been identified by Maggie Jenjins, of Franklin, as her brother John, who was an inmate of Warren insane asylum some time ago.

—So great was the interest attaching to the recent cat show in New York that the National Cat Show Association has been incorporated and will breed, deal in and exhibit cats and other domestic animals.

—Edith, daughter of John D. Rockafeller, the standard oil magnate, and Harold, McCormick, son of the famous mower and reaper manufacturer, are engaged to be married. Millions are represented on both sides.

—Lewis Pierce, of Batavia, N. Y., was wounded twice in the last war, and has been struck by lightning once, twice shipwrecked at sea, and smashed and crushed in several runaways. The other day he had a finger crushed.

—While going for medicine for his sick wife on Monday evening, William Schaum was in the act of crossing the mail train east in the Pennsylvania depot at Lancaster, Pa., when he lost his footing and fell under the cars. His body was cut in two. The depot was full of people at the time.

—A belting company of Hartford, Conn., has just made the largest belt that the firm or any other company ever made. It is for the Washburn & Moen Iron Company, of Worcester, and will be shipped in a few days. The belt is 6½ feet wide and 120 feet long. It is made of four thicknesses of leather, being 15-16 of an inch thick. All complete it weighs a little over 3,200 pounds. It is expected to transmit 2,000 horse power.

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The chief function of the kidneys is to separate from the blood, in its passage through them, of certain impurities and watery particles which make there final exit through the bladder. The retention of these, in consequence of inactivity of the kidneys, is productive of Bright's disease, dropsy, di-betes, albuminuria and other maladies with a fatal tendency. Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, a highly sanctioned diuretic and blood depurent, impels the kidneys when inactive to renew their sifting function, and strain from the vital current impurities which infest it and threaten their own existence as organs of the body. Catarrh of the bladder, gravel and retention of the urine are also maladies arrested or averted by this benign promomoter and restorative of organic action. Malaria, rheumatism, constipation, billiousness and dyspepsia also yield to the Bitters which is also speedily beneficial to the weak and nervous.

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AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

In the Court of Common Pleas of Cambria county. In the matter of the assigned estate of Theodore Benden and wife

Having been appointed Auditor by said Court to report a distribution of the fund arising from the sale of the real estate of the assignor, notice is hereby given that I will sit at my office in the borough of Ebensburg on SATURDAY, JUNE 29, 1895, at 10 o'clock, A. M., for the purpose of discharging the duties of said appointment, when and where all persons interested shall attend or be forever debarred from coming in on said fund.

DONALD E. DUFTON, Auditor.

Ebensburg, Pa., June 14, 1895.

EXECUTORS' NOTICE.

Estate of James Eckenrode, deceased.

Letters testamentary on the estate of James Eckenrode, late of Allegheny township, Cambria county, Pa., deceased, having been granted to the undersigned notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to said estate to make immediate payment and those having claims against the same to present them properly authenticated for settlement.

JOHN ECKENRODE,
MICHAEL ECKENRODE,
Executors.

June 14, 1895.X

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

Letters testamentary on the estate of Sarah Campbell, late of the borough of Loretto, Cambria county, Pa., deceased, having been granted to the undersigned, notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to said estate to make immediate payment, and those having claims against the same will present them properly authenticated for settlement.

June 14, 1895.

EUGENE LITZINGER, Executor

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[illegible]DAY, - - - - JUNE 14, 1895.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

[illegible] Lininger, of Loretto, was [illegible] Friday.

[illegible] J. B. Hicks, of Altoona, [illegible] on Monday.

[illegible] A. Scanlan and wife, of Johnstown, [illegible] Sunday in Ebensburg.

[illegible] T. E. O'Hara, of this place, spent [illegible] Pittsburg this week.

[illegible] Monday W. E. Glasgow [illegible] tax collector for Reade [illegible]

[illegible] Wissinger, of Blacklick [illegible] a few hours in town on [illegible]

[illegible] Wilks has sold Mr. W. H. [illegible] of Ashville, a very fine Cres[illegible]

[illegible] N. B. Hatcher, of Altoona, [illegible] up the photograph gallery on [illegible]

[illegible] who have charge of [illegible] streets are doing excellent [illegible] East ward.

[illegible] T. Reese, of Cambria [illegible] his farm to Mr. George [illegible] township.

[illegible] and Recorder James M. [illegible] township, was a visitor [illegible] Friday last.

[illegible] of Susquehanna [illegible] and best citizens, was a [illegible] on Monday.

[illegible] of Fort Wayne, Ind., [illegible] fifty volumes of useful [illegible] school library.

[illegible] on Monday last re[illegible] family to Johnstown where [illegible] the blacksmithing busi[illegible]

[illegible] of Governor Hastings [illegible] Attorney O'Connor, is [illegible] on Thursday of next [illegible]

[illegible] of Indiana county has gone [illegible] business having seized [illegible] *Record* on an [illegible]

[illegible] L. Frederick, the harness [illegible] will adopt the cash [illegible] July 1st. See his ad in an[illegible]

[illegible] pupils in attend[illegible] normal school but [illegible] their names and [illegible]

[illegible] Pugh committed suicide by [illegible] his barn at Scalp Level [illegible] evening of last week. He [illegible] and leaves a wife [illegible]

[illegible] parents and [illegible] that Trooper Frank [illegible] suicide by shooting [illegible] at Fort Reno on the [illegible] August.

[illegible] a brother of John [illegible] of the Cal[illegible] died at the home of [illegible] Thomas Clark, in Pittsburg, [illegible] aged 51 years.

[illegible] judges and inspectors of [illegible] will be $1.50 a day and [illegible] the governor signs the bill [illegible] the legislature. The [illegible] everything up.

[illegible] has appointed Samuel [illegible] surveyor to fill the [illegible] by the death of the late [illegible] Mr. Fetterman is [illegible] for that office.

[illegible] of Lycoming county, [illegible] a circus the other day, [illegible] of visitors locked up in [illegible] He had forgotten all about them [illegible] until the turn[illegible] the sheriff up and secured the [illegible]

[illegible] was hanged at [illegible] Thursday afternoon. The [illegible] by about three [illegible] among them Mrs. Mc[illegible] of Eisenminger's victim, [illegible] asked her for[illegible]

[illegible] Thomas, of Cambria [illegible] awarded a pension of [illegible] back from Septem[illegible] Mrs. Thomas is a daughter of [illegible] E. Thomas, of Cambria [illegible] has been crippled since [illegible]

[illegible] by excessive [illegible] long contin[illegible] composed of half [illegible] chalk and [illegible] Apply this pow[illegible] have been bathed [illegible]

[illegible] have been living in [illegible] since work on [illegible] have pulled up [illegible] Glen Campbell [illegible] commenced on the [illegible] promises to give [illegible]

[illegible] works, Monday, [illegible] pound bloom, [illegible] instantly killed and [illegible] fatally injured, [illegible] wife and child, and [illegible] "Sampson" Hender[illegible] of Latrobe.

[illegible] the receipt of an in[illegible] the celebration of the [illegible] anniversary of the date of [illegible] Somerset county. The [illegible] July 3, 4 and 5, [illegible] elaborate prepara[illegible] will be lively times in [illegible] the celebration.

[illegible] were bathing at Stump [illegible] from Punxsutawney, Sat[illegible] Elmer, aged fifteen [illegible] aged fourteen, and [illegible] Anthony walked single [illegible] twelve feet deep below [illegible] were drowned before assist[illegible] Funeral services [illegible] held at Big Run on Mon[illegible]

[illegible] Matthias Handshew, a [illegible] died very sud[illegible] Wednesday, and while searching [illegible] of money was found. [illegible] in a tin box in a bake [illegible] other papers. Some [illegible] also found in an old [illegible] The money consisted of [illegible] and amounted to over [illegible]

[illegible] accident occurred at the [illegible] depot at New Flor[illegible] evening, when Dick Collins [illegible] and tried to creep in [illegible] he had dropped [illegible] Just as he got across [illegible] started and one car pass[illegible] one arm off at the [illegible] one leg and fracturing [illegible] He was removed to the hospital [illegible]

[illegible] of the sheriff's office being [illegible] the Republicans, the peo[illegible] tale of incompetence [illegible] papers in this county. [illegible] the array of jur[illegible] and the trial of Dr. John [illegible] bigamy went "where the [illegible]" we looked for the [illegible] of the blundering officials [illegible] Republican papers that in days [illegible] let an opportunity pass, but [illegible] in vain. We shudder when we [illegible] of the escape.

—On Monday evening council met in special session in order to discuss what should be done with Center street in front of the residence of Miss Kate Noon. The pavement at that point is about one foot lower than the street, causing the water to drain into the cellar of Miss Noon's house. It is thought the house will have to be raised about fifteen inches and the pavement about one foot, but final action in the matter will not be taken until the meeting of council on next Monday evening.

—The town of Brisbin, in Clearfield county, is being depopulated on account of the coal having been worked out in that section. The value of property has so declined that it is almost impossible to make a sale in the place. Properties are being deserted and their owners offer them for sale at your own figure. We learn of one in particular that a few days ago was sold for $4,000 which to-day can be bought for as many hundred. The mining business is a little like the oil business, when the supply is exhausted the people flit to new fields.

—The celebration of the Bellefonte centennial ended on Friday of last week. Recent developments disclose an almost unlimited amount of pocket-picking and all manner of confidence games during the last two days it was at its height. Some estimates place the amount stolen and secured by swindling at from $2,000 to $3,000, while others aver that it would aggregate full $5,000 easily. Although there was so much of that kind of work done, not one criminal was even detected. It is a safe estimate to say that between 150 and 200 people were swindled out of sums ranging from $5 to $100.

—Ex Sheriff James M. Shumaker, of Johnstown, was in town on Monday. The ex-sheriff has announced himself as a candidate for the nomination for county treasurer on the Republican ticket next year, much to the consternation of the Republican bosses, who have promised the aforesaid nomination to a man named Spencer from Hastings. As the ex-sheriff is a hustler and not inclined to be sat down upon, there promises to be a little more life in next year's Republican convention than there was this year. It looks like trouble ahead for the firm of Spencer, James & Co., Limited.

—The issue of $2,000,000 of new stock by the Cambria Iron Company, as officially announced from the Philadelphia office, will be followed by vast improvements, especially at the Gautier steel works, the capacity of which, it is now reported, will be doubled. The foundations for the new structures are already in and it is believed that work in other directions will be taken up at an early date. A very large sum is to be and is now being expended in the erection of new coke works, which will be the first Otto-Hoffman (German process) coke ovens in the United States.

—Russell, son of Daniel Glessner, who lives near Boone, Somerset county, was killed in a strange manner on Wednesday morning of last week. The young man, who was about 20 years of age and lived with his parents, went to the pasture for the horses, taking with him a rope halter. In a short time the horses came home, one of them having the halter on his head, but young Glessner was not with the stock. The family immediately hastened to the field, where they found him lying on the ground bleeding and unconscious. They summoned Dr. Brissinger, of Shanksville, but life was extinct before he arrived. The supposition is that the young man was kicked by one of the horses.

Tours to the North via the Pennsylvania Railroad.

To provide the most attractive method of spending a summer holiday, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company has arranged to run two delightful tours to the north. The points included in the itinerary and the country traversed abound in nature's beauties. Magnificent scenery begins with the journey and ends only with its completion.

The names of the places to be visited are familiar to all and suggestive of wonderland. No matter how much may be expected, one cannot be disappointed in Watkin's Glen, Niagara Falls, Thousand Islands, Quebec, Montreal, Au Sable Chasm, Lakes Champlain and George, Saratoga, or the Highlands of the Hudson. The dates fixed for the departure of these two tours are July 16 and August 20, and the round-trip rate of $100 from New York, Brooklyn, Newark, Trenton, Philadelphia, Harrisburg, Baltimore and Washington will cover all necessary expenses during the time absent. A beautiful descriptive itinerary can be procured from the tourist department of the Pennsylvania railroad, 1196 Broadway, New York, or Room 411, Broad Street Station, Philadelphia.

The Pittsburg & Eastern.

The Glen Campbell *Comet* of Friday has this to say of the work on the Pittsburg & Eastern:

"At last the P. & E. people are making the dirt fly. Contractor McMannis, of Philadelphia, is receiving his supplies daily at Mahaffey & McGees. At the present writing seven car loads of picks, shovels, wheelbarrows, cars, etc., are being unloaded at the latter place and several steam shovels and a number of "dinkies" at Mahaffey; while horses, carts and wagons are coming in every direction. It will be several days before many laborers will be put to work, as it takes some time to place the plant and locate the men. On Monday morning about 40 men were started on the large cut just back of Robert Mahaffey's house, in Mahaffey, and considerable showing is the result. Tuesday the men struck for a ten cent raise, as they were only getting $1.00 per day, but went back to work Wednesday morning. The sub contractor was here Saturday making arrangements for stabling and location for shanties. They will be located at the lower end of the town."

Marriage Licenses.

The following marriage licenses were issued by the Clerk of the Orphans' Court for the week ending Thursday, June 13, 1895:

Thomas Farley and Matilda Mullen, Johnstown.

John Andrew Sellers and Lucy Connelly, Gallitzin.

Celestine A. Buck, Carrolltown, and Annie S. Callahan, Chest Springs.

Anthony Noel and Laura M. Good, Coalport.

James A. Kirby, Middleport, Ohio, and Mamie G. Skelly, Wilmore.

Henry August Alt, Daisytown, and Mary Ann Batting, Johnstown.

Joseph W. Storm, Cresson and Jennie Conrad, Chest Springs.

Henry Walker and Carrie Reighard, South Fork.

John William Welsh, Carroll township, and Henrietta McClarren, Ehrenfield.

James B. Hetrich and Ettie Graffins, Hastings.

John Gresco and Lizzie Kynarvowis, Hastings.

Franklin Pebble, Pittsburg, and Lottie Cohran, Johnstown.

Henry F. Yahner, Hastings, and Mary M. Behe, Loretto.

Report of the Grand Jury.

The grand jury at the conclusion of their labors on Thursday made the following report:

Hon A. V. Barker, President Judge.

We, the grand jury, having visited the public buildings, report that we find the court house, county jail, and almshouse all in splendid condition, and we would recommend the erection of a building in connection with the almshouse, to be used as a morgue, and would also recommend that the jail-yard walls be cemented on the inside and pointed on the outside.

NEWTON I. ROBERTS.

Court Proceedings.

In addition to the cases already reported in the last issue of the FREEMAN, the following cases were disposed of last week:

Commonwealth vs. George H. Langbein, fornication and bastardy; Catharine Lloyd, prosecutrix. Defendant plead guilty and was sentenced to pay $20 lying-in expenses and the sum of $1 per week for seven years.

Commonwealth vs. Robert Pugh, assault and battery. Defendant discharged, the prosecutor not appearing.

Commonwealth vs. Perry Thomas, assault and battery. Defendant plead guilty to two charges and was sentenced to pay a fine of $10 and costs in each case.

Commonwealth vs. John Hainsey and David Briggs, receiving stolen goods. Defendants plead guilty and were sentenced to pay jointly a fine of $20, costs and three months in jail.

Commonwealth vs. Charles Spangler, larceny. Jury find defendant not guilty.

Commonwealth vs. Peter Santo, selling liquor without license, two indictments. Jury find defendant guilty. Sentenced to pay a fine of $500, costs and three months in jail each case.

Commonwealth vs. Ed. Sweeny, robbery. Jury find defendant not guilty.

Commonwealth vs. Edward Hartnett and Patrick McGuire, malicious mischief. Jury find defendants not guilty and the prosecutor, Patrick McConlogue, to pay the costs.

Commonwealth vs. George Nolan, larceny. Jury find defendant guilty. Sentenced to pay a fine of $20, costs and four months in jail.

Commonwealth vs. W. C. Schroth, furnishing liquor to men of known intemperate habits. Jury find defendant not guilty but that he pay the costs.

Commonwealth vs. William Aubrey, larceny and receiving stolen goods. Jury find defendant guilty on first count and not guilty on second count. Sentenced to pay a fine of $20, costs and three months in jail.

Commonwealth vs. Sabato Gabardo, defrauding a boarding-hose keeper. Jury find defendant not guilty and the prosecutor to pay the costs.

Commonwealth vs. Peter Brown, assault and battery. Jury find defendant guilty. Sentenced to pay a fine of $20, costs and ten days in jail.

Commonwealth vs. Alf. Sybert, furnishing liquor to men of intemperate habits. Jury find defend defendant not guilty but that he pay the costs.

SECOND WEEK.

Commonwealth vs. John Hallack, entering a dwelling house with intent to commit a felony, larceny and receiving stolen goods. Jury find defendant not guilty.

Commonwealth vs. Michael Kusic, robbery and assault and battery. Jury find defendant guilty.

Commonwealth vs. H. H. Rush, larceny. Jury find defendant guilty.

Commonwealth vs. Richard Mechling and Jonathan Plause, supervisors of Susquehanna township, maintaining a nuisance. Jury find defendants not guilty and the prosecutors, W. C. Westover and F. H. Bearer, to pay the costs.

Commonwealth vs. J. D. Milligan, M. D., bigamy. On motion of defendant's counsel, the array of grand and traverse jurors was quashed because the jury wheel had been in the custody of the sheriff instead of the jury commissioners, as required by law.

Teachers' Examinations.

June 26 at Morrellville for Lower Yoder, Westmont and Morrellville.

June 27 at Coopersdale for West Taylor and Coopersdale.

June 28 at Walnut Grove for Stonycreek, Dale and Daisytown.

June 29 at Conemaugh for Franklin, East Taylor, Conemaugh township and East Conemaugh.

July 1 at South Fork for South Fork.

July 2 at Gallitzin for Tunnelhill, Gallitzin borough and township.

July 3 at Lilly for Cresson, Washington and Lilly.

July 5 at Portage for Portage borough and township.

July 6 at Wilmore for Summerhill township and Wilmore.

July 8 at Ebensburg for Cambria and Ebensburg.

July 9 at Loretto for Allegheny and Loretto.

July 10 at Elton for Adams.

July 11 at Weaver's for Richland.

July 12 at Roxbury for Upper Yoder and Roxbury.

July 13 at Rosedale for Rosedale.

July 15 at Patton for Patton.

July 16 at Hastings for Hastings and Elder.

July 17 at Barnesboro for Susquehanna and Barnesboro.

July 18 at Spangler for Barr and Spangler.

July 19 for Fairview and Jackson.

July 20 at Belsano for Blacklick.

July 22 at Fiske for White.

July 23 at Glasgow for Reade.

July 24 at St. Lawrence for Chest.

July 25 at Carrolltown for Carroll and Carrolltown.

July 26 at Summerhill for Croyle and Summerhill.

July 27 at St. Augustine for Clearfield.

July 29 at Noel for Munster.

July 30 at Dysart for Ashville, Ashland and Dean.

July 31 at Chest Springs for Chest Springs.

Correspondence.

Carrolltown, Pa., June 12, 1895.

ED. FREEMAN:—The marriage bells are kept constantly ringing during this beautiful month of flowers. One more added to the list, Mr. E. A. Binder and Miss Emma Stoltz, of Carrolltown, were married at St. Benedict's church last Tuesday by Rev. Father Prior, at 6 A. M. The attendants were Mr. M. J. Stoltz, brother of the bride, and Miss Mollie Thomas.

The bride was attired in white silk trimmed with lace ribbons and orange blossoms, while the bride's maid wore sea foam green, trimmed with lace pearls and orange blossoms and carried La France roses. Mrs. Binder is an excellent young lady and is fully deserving of the many wishes for happiness which were spoken by those of her friends who were present at the marriage. The groom is Carrolltown's popular young jeweler and a man of excellent character.

After partaking of an elegant wedding breakfast the happy couple started to the East for a short trip, after which they will return and take up their residence in Carrolltown.

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New Cambria Company Stock.

Philadelphia, June 8.—The Cambria Iron Company has given notice to its stockholders of an issue of $2,000,000 new stock under the authority given the directors at the meeting of the company last year in January.

Each stockholder will be allowed to subscribe for the new stock at par at the rate of 40 per cent. of his holding as registered on the books of the company June 8, 1895, and all subscriptions must be notified to the company before 3 o'clock, P. M., July 10, 1895. Payment for the stock must be made October 2. As soon as the new stock is issued the board of directors will declare a dividend of 12½ per cent.

The Legislature.

Gee whizz! And what of the party which has caused the people to howl? Hasn't it gone glimmering already?—*Gosling.*

Not yet. The most of the howling done by the people just now is over the work of the last Republican legislature. It was superlatively Republican.

Real Estate Transfers.

John Kenyock et ux. to Harry J. Brown, Portage township; consideration, $35.

Executors of Thomas Love to John T. Rowley, Johnstown, $1.

Cambria Iron Company to John Shearer, East Conemaugh, $175.

Chest Creek Land and Improvement Company to Joseph A. Baker, Clearfield, $90.

Matthew McGaughey, administrator, to Philip Cronour, Munster, $525.

Joseph Swetlick et ux. to William H. Hahn, Morrellville, $1,800.

Michael Brankin et ux. to J. Hayden Branken, Gallitzen, $1.

Rosanna McCann to Augustine Kirkpatrick, Ebensburg, $850.

Annie McFeaters to Thomas J. Davis, Morrellville, $400.

Martha Eliza J. Lord et vir. to Olive E. Jones, Ebensburg, $1,000.

Administrator of Jacob Fronheiser to Valentine Beabes, Johnstown, $109.

Susannah Miller et vir. to Nathaniel Miller, Johnstown, $400.

Martin Laffey to James Laffey, Lower Yoder, $350.

George M. Allendorfor et ux. to Caroline Guard, Johnstown.

Cambria Iron Company to Alfred Huston, East Conemaugh, $350.

Michael H. Nagle et ux. to George Baker, Elder, $10.

George A. Confer et ux. to Georgiana Confer, East Conemaugh, $5.

Charles H. Loughry et ux. to Louis J. Huff, Johnstown, $2,250.

W. H. H. Robertson et ux. to Nicholas J. Boyer, Wilmore, $3,000.

Michael Thomas et ux. to Thaddeus Thomas, Elder, $50.

Austin T. Crum et ux. to Israel Caldwell, Portage, $1.

Christian Ford et ux. to William W. Rose et al., Mineral Point, $60.

Frank Peters, Sr., to Joseph Peters, Barr, $250.

Frank Peters, Sr., to Andrew Peters, Barr, $250.

Frank Peters, Sr., to John Peters, Barr, $400.

George J. Orris et ux. to John Orris, Richland, $350.

John Orris et ux. to Joseph S. Orris, Richland, $105.

John Ripple et ux. to John Orris, Richland, $300.

Blacklick Land & Improvement Company to Minnie B. Amond, Vintondale, $150.

John F. Bonner et ux. to W. Watson Spencer, Patton, $1,000.

Albert E. Constable to C. S. Hite, Stonycreek, $325.

John Fitzsimmons to Patrick McConlongue, Johnstown, $2,250.

Ella C. Stall et al. to Mollie C. Pink, Adams, $2,000.

Mollie C. Pink et al. to William H. Wendell, Adams, $3,000.

Joshua P. Wissinger et ux. to Peter Gillman, Adamsburg.

Lilly Items.

Lilly, Pa., May 12, 1895.

The town was shocked to learn of the death of Bert Smith, which occurred at Smoke Run, Clearfield county, from injuries received at the coal mines at that place. The parents of the deceased have the sympathy of the entire community in their bereavement.

The council convenes this evening in special session and a lot of resolutions and private appropriations can no doubt be expected. Well, why not keep up with the state government and be generous while the funds last? Look at the size of the duplicates and then get a microscope to see how much was spent in the business portion of the town. The trunk seems to be wagging the elephant.

The Board of Health the past year and a half is like fifth wheel to a wagon—more for ornament than use. At least the council seems to think so, judging from the treatment accorded the board in its efforts to place the business part of the town in a proper sanitary condition. Unless prompt and decisive action is taken serious results will follow.

Saturday was pay day here. The amount received was not large but came in very handy. Next Saturday the other mines will pay, so that considerable coin now comes our way.

A new brick plant is about to be built here and the merchants of the town are taking stock in the enterprise. The move is a commendable one and will do much towards making the town self-sustaining. We have good clay here and abundance of it, and money and willing hands will do the rest.

Landlord Rob, of this place, has broken ground for his new extension.

The Lilly Bottling Company does not advertise—they think it cheaper to travel. It may be that economy is wealth but the scribe thinks it saves at the spigot and wastes at the bung-hole.

O. T. W.

House and Barn Burned

On Saturday afternoon fire destroyed the house and barn of Mr. John L. Crum, in Summerhill township. Mr. Crum was away from home, being at Portage attending to some business, and Mrs. Crum had heated up the stove to do the family baking. After making the fire in the stove she went on an errand to the house of her father, Mr. Solomon Emigh, and left the house in charge of an old man who lives with the family and her children. Shortly after she left, the children discovered fire on the roof of the house, and the old man hastened to the spring for water, but before he could apply it the fire spread rapidly over the roof and soon the whole building was in flames. Several neighbors came to the rescue but were unable, owing to the scarcity of water, to prevent the spreading of the flames, which soon reached the barn, granary and hog pen, and they, too, were reduced to ashes.

Most of the furniture in the house was saved and some few articles were carried out of the barn, but all the buildings on the farm are gone. There was no insurance.

Judge Pershing to Retire.

A dispatch from Pottsville, Pa., on Tuesday says:

It is now certain that Judge Cyrus L. Pershing will resign as president judge of Schuylkill county because the judges retirement bill failed to pass. He would have resigned some months ago, because of illness, but had been prevailed upon by his friends to hold on, hoping the retirement bill would be made a law, and His Honor would accept its benefit.

Judge Pershing has been ill for several years and during that time has been unable to to perform any duties upon the bench. He is a veteran Democrat and was once the party nominee for governor of Pennsylvania.

Judge Pershing is a native of Johnstown and at the time of his first election as president judge of Schuylkill county was a resident of Johnstown and a practicing member of the Cambria county bar. He has many friends among the older residents who will be sorry to hear of his continued ill health.

Found Dead in Bed.

Mrs. Mary G. Krone, of Morrellville, was found dead in bed on Tuesday morning by her husband, Louis Krone. They were married just a week ago at Middletown, Ohio, an engagement having resulted through an advertisement which she had placed in a marriage paper. She brought with her to Johnstown a draft for $800, and it was her intention to go to a Johnstown bank on Monday with her husband to cash it and pay off a mortgage on Krone's home. The death was mysterious, but a coroner's investigation resulted in the finding of a verdict that death was due to valvular disease of the heart.

Miscellaneous Notices.

O. K. Churns for sale at § HUNTLEY'S.

A LOT Double Shovel Plows just received at § HUNTLEY'S.

A LOT Wing Shovel Plows just received at § HUNTLEY'S.

A FINE lot of Table Oil Cloths just received at G. HUNTLEY'S.

ANOTHER lot of Bissel's Carpet Sweepers just arrived at * G. HUNTLEY'S.

A LARGE assortment or Garden Tools just received at * G. HUNTLEY'S.

TRY McBreen's Ice Cream—made at home and guaranteed to be strictly pure. 6.7

A FEW bundles of Manilla Binding Twine, 5 cents a pound at Dutton's. may3.

A FINE assortment of White wash, Paint and Varnish Brushes just received by * G. HUNTLEY.

JUST received a lot of Steel Frame, 5 tooth Cultivators at HUNTLEY'S. ma 10 §

CALL and look at my Washing Machines. I have two of the best kind in the market. ma3† G. HUNTLEY.

A LARGE assortment of that celebrated Anti-Rusting Tinware—warranted not to rust for 5 years—just arriving at apr12 4t* G. HUNTLEY'S.

WANTED.—A general representative in this county to organize local boards for the Artisans' Savings and Loan Association. Address 91 Fifth Ave., Pittsburg, Pa. mch22

A LARGE assortment of granite enamelled ware with another 20 per cent. reduction which makes it almost as cheap as tinware. Just received at GEO. HUNTLEY'S.

DON'T forget I am headquarters for Base Balls and Bats, all kinds of Fishing Tackle, Lines, Hooks, Reels, Rods, Bait Boxes, Baskets, etc. * G. HUNTLEY.

CALL at Huntley's and buy a Tree Sprayer and Spray your fruit trees, thereby increasing your fruit crop enough to pay for the Sprayer three times over † G. HUNTLEY.

TANGLEFOOT. TANGLEFOOT.
The best Fly Paper in the market is Tanglefoot. Four sheets for 5 cents or ten sheets for 10 cents at HUNTLEY'S. may17

WANTED—A reliable man to represent a loan institution in Cambria county. Money loaned in sums of $100 to $10,000. For particulars apply to W. M. DAVIS, Coalport, Pa. mch29tf.

I HAVE the agency for the Eclipse Bicycle, acknowledged by all to be one of the best Bicycles on the market. $10 reduction on regular price will be given to the party giving me the first order this season. * G. HUNTLEY.

FOR SALE.
The McDonald homestead, 14 rooms, with cellar. A fine summer residence. Apply to DR. J. A. DOERNER, may17 Cumberland, Md.

FARMERS.
Your attention is kindly called to the best hay carrier on the market and at a reasonable price. Call and see it at GEO. HUNTLEY'S.

THE Ebensburg Building & Loan Association will offer for sale at the council chamber, Ebensburg, on the fourth Monday in June, $1,000.00. THOS. DAVIS, President. LESTER LARIMER, Secretary.

A LARGE assortment of Family Ready Mixed Paints, Paints for Farm Implements, Carriage Paints of all colors and shades, in ½ pint to 1 gallon cans. If you are going to paint your house call and look at my samples. I can save you money. * G. HUNTLEY.

FARMERS AND BUILDERS.
I have put in a car load of steel wire nails and fence wire before the advance which I will sell for a limited time at prices before the advance. As there will likely be another advance by the 1st of April, I would advise you to buy immediately what nails and wire you want for the coming season, thereby saving money by not paying the advance prices later on. A word to the wise is sufficient. GEO. HUNTLEY.

PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD.

Schedule in effect May 20, 1895.

Connections at Cresson.

EAST.	
Seashore Express, week days	6.30 a m
Altoona Accommodation, week days	9.25 a m
Main Line Express, daily	10.59 a m
Altoona Express, daily	1.00 p m
Harrisburg Accommodation, Sundays only	1.07 p m
Mail Express, daily	5.17 p m
Philadelphia Express, daily	8.12 p m
WEST.	
Johnstown Accommodation, week days	8.14 a m
Pacific Express, daily	8.37 a m
Way Passenger, daily	2.36 p m
Mail Train, week days	4.26 p m
Fast Line, daily	8.28 p. m
Johnstown Accommodation, week days	8.34 p m

Ebensburg Branch.

Trains leave as follows: 7.20 a. m., and 3.30 p. m. and arrive at Cresson at 7.57, a. m. and 4.05 p. m. Leave Cresson at 9.30, a. m. and 5.20 p. m., and arrive at Ebensburg at 10.05 a. m. and 6.05 p. m.

Cresson and Clearfield.

Leave Irvona at 6.45 a. m. and 3.00 p. m. arriving at Cresson at 8.05 a. m. and 4.20 p. m. Leave Cresson 9.25 a. m. and 5.20 p. m., arriving at Irvona at 10.45 a. m. and 6.40 p. m.

For rates, maps, etc., call on agent or address THOS. E. WATT, P. A. W. D., 110 Fifth Ave., Pittsburg, Pa.

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I, the undersigned, wish to announce to the public and my patrons that I will conduct my business on a

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on and After July 1, 1895,

and that on and after that date it will be impossible for me to extend any credit.

This will enable me to sell goods at a closer margin and smaller profit, and will be an advantage to my customers as well as to myself. Asking you for a continuance of your patronage in the future, as in the past, I remain

Yours Truly,
GEO. L. FREDERICK.
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I desire to inform the public that I have opened up in connection with my grocery store on Julian street, an elegant

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Have your Teeth cleaned by a dentist, all the tartar removed. Get a good, soft bristle brush, for the reason that a hard bristle one is bound to injure the gums. Get some of Dr. Richards' Tooth Powder. Use this and in a short time you will wonder what transformation has taken place within your mouth.

Have your decayed Teeth filled up if you have any, and if there are roots—I mean bad ones such as will cause your breath to become offensive—have them etracted. They say that Hood's Sarsaparilla is good for that tired feeling—100 doses for $1.00. Now this is not Hood's advertisement but Dr. Richards', the Dentist. Give him a trial and you will use no other.

RICHARDS, the Dentist.
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Amended Ordinance.

Amending an ordinace to prevent cattle from running at large within the limits of the borough of Ebensburg, Pa., approved January 29th, 1894.

Be it ordained and enacted by the Burgess and Town Council of the borough of Ebensburg that the Ordinance passed and approved the 29th day of January, 1894, be and the same is hereby amended as follows, to wit:

That no person or persons shall suffer or permit his, her or their cows or cattle to run at large within the limits of the borough, between the hours of eight o'clock, P. M., and six o'clock, A. M., from the first day of June, 1895, to the first day of November, 1895 and in each and every year thereafter, commencing with the year 1896, from the first day of May to the first day of November, and for each and every offence in violation of this Ordinance the person or persons so offending shall forfeit and pay for each of said animals so found running at large a fine of not less than one dollar nor more than five dollars; and all such animals found running at large shall be considered as a public and a common nuisance, and it shall be the duty of the Street Commissioner or any policeman of the borough to seize and take into custody and impound every such animal found running at large, as afore said, and if, after four days' public notice, no person shall appear and claim the animals so impounded and pay the fine and all costs and charges attending the seizure and keeping of same, every such animal shall be sold at public sale by the Street Commissioner or policeman, and, after retaining the amount of the reasonable costs and and expenses, he shall pay the balance, if any, to the Treasurer for the use of the borough. Passed finally by Council the 27th day of May, 1895.

JOHN L. STOUGH, Pres. Pro. Tem. of Council.
FES LLOYD, Burgess.
Attest: W. H. CONNELL, Clerk.
June 7, 1895.

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TRIAL LIST.
List of causes set down for trial Second week, June term, 1895:
Scheil vs. Hipps & Lloyd.
Smith vs. Trainor.
Arnholt vs. Westover.
Eckenrode vs. Chest Creek C. & C. Co.
Cover vs. Horrocks.
Trial List—Third week, June term, 1895.
Orth vs. Haworth & Dewhurst.
Hopple vs. Eckenrode.
Kinports vs. Long.
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Shoemaker vs. Good.
Blair vs. Good.
Spenger vs. City of Johnstown.
Giles vs. Gessler.
Klepser & Co. vs. Cresswell.
Use M'Garry vs. Miller.
M'Kay's Exr. vs. Groom et al.
Friday vs. Kirby.
Davis vs. Krebbs.
Anderson vs. M'Donald et al.
Johnstown Driving Park Assn. vs. Adair.
Kistler vs. Felix.
Dunmire vs. Stambaugh.
Hastings vs. O'Connor.
Shoemaker Admr. vs. Tri Co. Agri. Assn.
Hammond vs. Jones.
Lilly Water Co. vs. M'Cann et al.
Pittsburg Sadling Co., vs. Langbein.
King vs. Holsopple.
Boggs & Buhl vs. Campbell et ux.
Bush vs. Condrin.
J. C. DARBY, Prothonotary.
Prothonotary's office, May 10, 1895.

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Ebensburg, July 21, 1882.

NOTICE is hereby given that John R. Cordell has filed in the office of the Clerk of the Court of Quarter Sessions of Cambria county his petition asking for the transfer of the retail license granted by said Court to H. C. Beck at Patton borough and that the said petition will be presented to the said court for its consideration on MONDAY, JUNE 10, 1895.

J. C. DARBY, Clerk Q. S.
Office of Clerk of Q. S., May 24, 1895.

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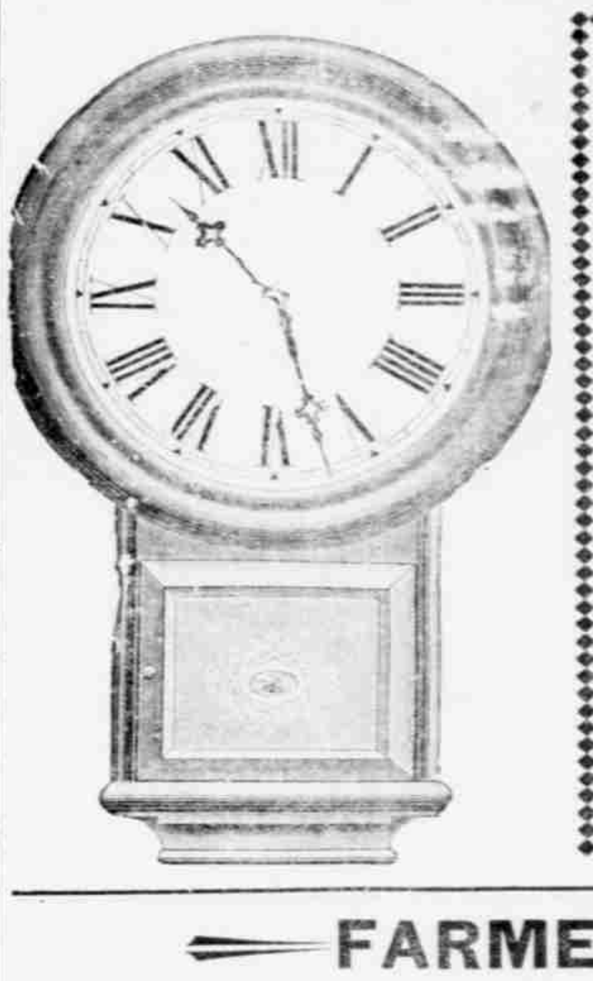

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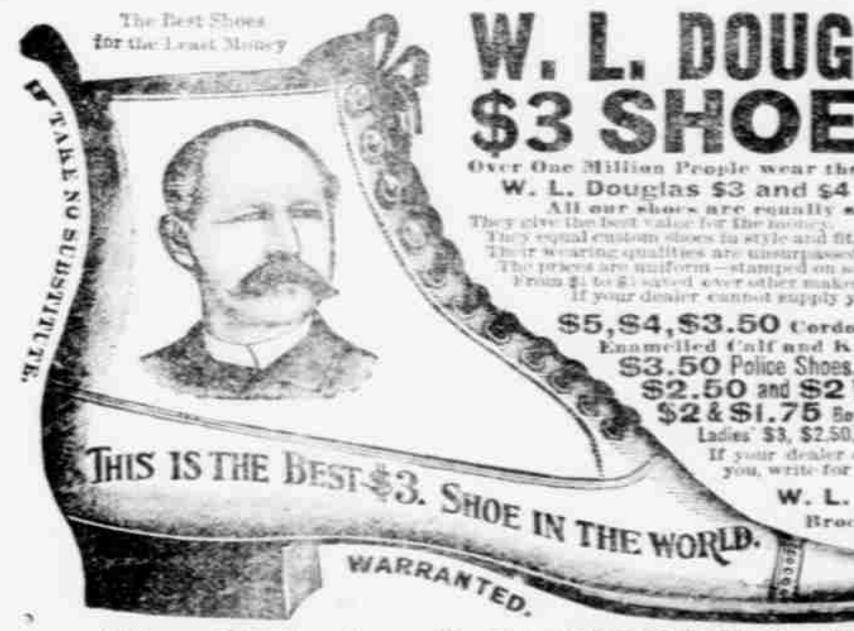
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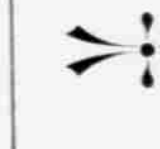

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EXECTRIX' NOTICE.
Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary on the estate of Isidore Lilly late of Munster township, Cambria county, Pa., deceased, have been granted to the undersigned. All persons indebted to the estate of said decedent will make immediate payment, and all persons having claims against said estate should present them duly authenticated for payment to the undersigned.
MARY I. LILLY, Executrix.
May 31, 1895.

NOTICE.
THE annual meeting of stockholders for election of Directors of the Cresson and Clearfield Coal and Coke Company will be held at the office of the Company at Frugality, Pa., on WEDNESDAY, JUNE 19, 1895, at 1 o'clock, P. M.
B. O. HAGAN, Secretary.
May 31, 1895.

FOR ALL THE NEWS, READ THE FREEMAN. $1.50 per year.

STRICT NEUTRALITY.

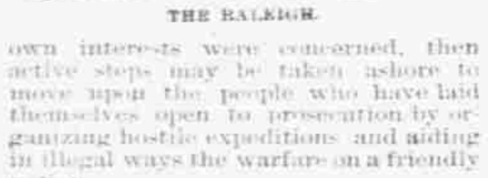
Spain Will Be Given No Cause to Complain.

FILIBUSTERING TO BE CRUSHED.

The Commodore of the U. S. Cruiser Raleigh Ordered to Thoroughly Patrol the Florida Coast—Customs Collectors Ordered to Detain Suspected Vessels.

WASHINGTON, June 12.—Acting Secretary McAdoo of the navy department says that the instructions sent to the commodore of the cruiser Raleigh for his guidance when on patrol duty off the Florida coast are of the most comprehensive kind, and provide for a full and strict enforcement of the neutrality laws. The Raleigh probably will go first to Key West. This is the only port on the Florida coast which a vessel of her draught can safely enter. She then will make a thorough patrol of the coastline and to render it more difficult for a filibustering party to get away, the cruiser steam launches and small boats will be manned whenever it is necessary to look into narrow inlets and passes for light draft schooners and yachts, which are the favorite means of transportation of the filibusterers.

With Spanish men-of-war flying off the Florida coast outside of the 3-mile limit and the Raleigh and her boats sweeping the inside waters, the over-enthusiastic Cubans and their American sympathizers who undertake to drive the United States into trouble by using Florida as a base of hostile operations against the government of Cuba are likely to be repressed with a strong hand. The position of the administration is that they must make all honorable efforts to prevent the abuse of its territory in this way, and if the measures already adopted are not sufficient to secure the enforcement of the neutrality laws to a degree that we have ourselves insisted upon when our own interests were concerned, then active steps may be taken ashore to move upon the people who have laid themselves open to prosecution by organizing hostile expeditions and aiding in illegal ways the warfare on a friendly nation.



THE RALEIGH.

The following letter has been sent to all collectors of customs on the coast from New York to Rio Grande by the treasury department and signed by the acting secretary: "It is a matter of rumor that at various points in the United States attempts are being made to enlist men to equip and arm vessels and by other illegal measures to aid the insurrection now in progress in the Island of Cuba. While this department has not been furnished with tangible evidence confirmatory of such rumors, it deems it of great importance that no possible opportunity be given for complaints that the government of the United States has in any respect fallen short of its duty to a friendly nation. Collectors of customs for the several districts between New York and Brownsville are especially enjoined to see to it that the neutrality laws of the United States, particularly, sections 5289 and 5290 of the revised statutes are fully complied with."

The sections of the revised statute referred to are as follows:

"Sec. 5289. The owners or consignee of every armed vessel sailing out of the ports of the United States, belonging wholly or in part to citizens thereof, shall, before clearing out the same, give bond to the United States, with sufficient sureties, in double the amount of the value of the vessel and cargo on board, including her armament, and conditioned that the vessel shall not be employed by such owners to cruise or commit hostilities against the subjects or citizens or property of any foreign prince or state, or of any colony, district or people, with whom the United States are at peace.

"Sec. 5290. The several collectors of customs shall detain any vessel manifestly built for warlike purposes, and about to depart from the United States, the cargo of which principally consists of arms and munitions of war, when the number of men shipped on board, or other circumstances, render it probable that such vessel is intended to be employed by the owners to cruise or commit hostilities upon the subjects, citizens, or property of any foreign prince or state, or of any colony, district or people with whom the United States are at peace, until the decision of the president is had thereon, or until the owner gives such bond and security as is required of the owners of armed vessels by the preceding section."

A Big Bicycle Meet.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., June 12.—Six thousand people saw nearly all the crack bicyclists of country come in all kinds of contests at the annual meet of the Lakeview Wheelmen, at the Driving park. Besides being entertained by the races, in which a majority of the Class B and Class A men of note competed, they say F. J. Titus, paced by a tandem, ride a mile in 2:02, lowering the state record; saw Dirnberger, better known as King Michael, cover the same course in 2:04 3-5, and Arthur Zimmerman ride an exhibition mile in the slow time of 2:14 1-5. Taken all together it was an excellent programme.

James Booming Lincoln.

NEW YORK, June 12.—Ex-Postmaster General Thomas L. James, president of the Lincoln National bank, is fertilizing a presidential boom for Robert Lincoln. Mr. Lincoln is practicing law in Chicago. He is a son of Abraham Lincoln. President Garfield made him secretary of war and President Harrison sent him as minister to England. A number of personal friends, like Mr. James, think he would make a safe presidential candidate, but the bosses don't.

The A. O. U. W. Supreme Lodge.

CHICAGO, June 12. — The Supreme lodge of the Ancient Order of United Workmen is in session here. Master Workman L. L. Troy stated that the total number of lodges was 4,973, a net increase for the year of 97. The total membership of the order was 341,371, an increase of 10,545, 3,508 members having died during the year. The total income had been $7,644,974, and the disbursements $7,678,399.

Will Build a New Line.

CLEVELAND, June 12.—It is now reported that the Brice syndicate, which last week secured control of the Pittsburg, Akron and Western railroad, has in mind the early construction of a 5-mile line from Akron to Brimfield, there to connect with the Cleveland, Canton and Southern. It is also said that the syndicate is now negotiating for the control of the Cleveland, Canton and Southern.

Knights and Ladies of Honor.

ST. LOUIS, June 13.—The tenth biennial session of the grand lodge of the Knights and Ladies of Honor of Missouri, is being held here with a large attendance. The most important matters to come up will be the election of officers and the selection of two representatives to the supreme lodge meeting, which will be held in St. Louis in September.

Goff's Decision Reversed.

RICHMOND, June 12. — The United States circuit court of appeals has dissolved the injunction granted by Judge Goff, in the South Carolina registration cases. This action was unanimous.

WHERE IS MR. DEBS?

The U. S. Marshal Does Not Believe He Has Skipped Out.

CHICAGO, June 12.—United States Marshal Arnold does not believe that Eugene V. Debs has skipped out although he failed to show up at the appointed time to be taken to the Woodstock jail, as decreed by the United States supreme court.

He said: "He has all to lose and nothing to gain by such a move. He would be a fugitive from justice and would not dare to return to the United States. He feels that in going to jail he strengthens himself among his sympathizers, and he would no more think of running away than of flying. His bondsmen are no longer liable for his return, as he surrendered himself to me at noon, and that act relieved him of his bond."

Debs' bond was in the sum of $5,000, with William Skakel and William Fitzgerald as bondsmen. In addition, he is under bonds to the district court on criminal charges in the sum of $20,000 with the same bondsmen.

EUGENE V. DEBS.

A DEAD MAN CLEARED.

The Late Senator Buck Didn't Kill Nellie Harrington.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 12.—The coroner's inquest into the death of Miss Nellie Harrington, murdered in her own room ten days ago, has been concluded. The testimony of four additional witnesses completed a perfect alibi for the late Senator Buck. I. W. Lees, chief of local detective forces, stated that he had followed every clue and every person having any apparent possible connection with the case, he was absolutely in the dark regarding the identity of the murderer, and admitted that he had not even a suspicion concerning the possible slayers.

Referring to the wounds upon the body of the murdered woman, Lees said they indicated that the murder was most brutal. He was satisfied that the murderer was thoroughly familiar with premises. He was convinced that the crime had not been committed for the purpose of robbery. The fatal wounds had probably been inflicted by a pistol used as a club. The jury returned a verdict of murder committed by some unknown person.

STRIKING AT THE A. P. A.

A Circular Distributed In Youngstown Giving Members and Minutes.

YOUNGSTOWN, O., June 12.—A pamphlet of 60 pages has been circulated here purporting to give the roll of membership of Council No. 78 of the American Protective association with the ritual of the order and a transcript of the minutes of each meeting held for several months with all the business transacted. It was claimed by friends of ex-Chief of Police Cantwell that his being disposed from office was due to the influence of the A. P. A., who had decided that his official head should fall in the basket, and the object of the pamphlet is evidently to show that that view was correct.

The minutes show that it was decided to boycott several prominent business men, and that committees were appointed to call upon city officials and notify them that certain candidates for office should be defeated. The candidates were not successful. The roster as published contains the names of many prominent men who have denied that they were in any way connected with the A. P. A.

A SALOON WAR.

An Active Fight on In Springfield, O. Saloonkeepers Being Arrested.

SPRINGFIELD, O., June 12.—A desperate effort is being made by the saloon interests in this city to have the present 10 o'clock saloon ordinance changed to 11 or 11:30 o'clock. A tremendous crusade has been carried on by the police during the past few weeks against the saloonkeepers, following the election of Mayor Mast, who represent the religious element in politics.

Hardly a day passes but what a saloonkeeper is taken up and fined. The saloonkeepers claim that Springfield is being injured by the enforcement of the ordinance. They point to the fact that on the recent visit of the Columbus Buckeye club to General Bushnell the visitors were unable to get any beer while waiting for their train, and consequently carried away a bad impression of the city.

Cleveland Will Go to Atlanta.

WASHINGTON, June 12.—President Cleveland has accepted an invitation tendered by representative citizens of Atlanta to visit the Atlanta exposition. He will leave Washington by special train on the evening of Oct. 21, and arrive in Atlanta on the afternoon of the 22d. The 23rd has been set apart as president's day, when the chief executive will visit the exposition. The cabinet will likely go also.

One Bad Man Kills Another.

SERGENT, Ky., June 12.—News comes here from Beaver, Floyd county, that John Amburgy and a man named Martin engaged in a battle at the home of Amburgy, near Beaver, Floyd county, which resulted in the death of Martin and the probable fatal wounding of Amburgy. The men had long been terrors in the neighborhood, and they had been enemies for some time. Martin went to Amburgy's house with revolver in hand and ordered him out, but instead Amburgy opened fire and the duel followed.

Puddlers Still Fighting.

CLEVELAND, June 12.—Another conference is soon to be held by committees of the Amalgamated Association of Iron, Steel and Tin Workers, and the Manufacturers' association of the Mahoning and Shenango valleys concerning the scale of wages drafted by the former at the recent convention in this city. The puddlers will go into that conference organized for war. The scale fixes their wages at $4.00 per ton and they will demand $5.00, though they will be willing to accept $4.50, as a compromise.

Washington Succeeds Canton.

WHEELING, June 12.—Washington, Pa., is to be the successor of Canton in the Interstate Baseball association. E. G. Barrows of the Wheeling club has completed the deal. The Washington's will be ready to play next Monday. The club there is being backed by the oil king, Byron McKeown, and Dave Curran, formerly of the Washington and Jefferson team, will be the manager. To help the new club the seven other clubs will each donate a player to Washington.

Rev. Sheldrake Fired.

PITTSBURG, June 12.—The case of Evangelist George H. Sheldrake, charged with immorality, was considered by the Pittsburg presbytery, which met in the First church, Wood street, yesterday. He was deposed from the ministry and excluded from the communion of the church.

CHRISTIANITY'S FATE.

Its Future at Stake In Eastern Turkey.

ARMENIANS SUFFER HORRORS.

How Long Will the Turkish Government Be Allowed to Sanction the Murder of Innocent Christians?—Terrible Suffering of Prisoners in the Turkish Prisons.

BOSTON, June 12.—A reliable American resident in Turkey, in a letter about the situation in Eastern Turkey, received here, says there is one theme which concentrates attention, namely, the condition and the prospects of the country. It is not only the cause of common humanity which interests us. The question now pending holds within it the life or death of Oriental Christianity. Are those wicked and Godless fanatics to be permitted to dip their swords further in the blood of innocent Christians, not only in general massacres, but on highways, in their own homes, in their fields, and worse than all, in the prisons, by the hands of the government itself? Day after day the pitiful story is told over and over again of pillage, burning, torture, murder, violence, rape, abduction, confiscation, desecration of churches, etc. Mere human aid is entirely insufficient; the intricacies of the political question involved, put the solution of the problem far beyond our reach.

The letter gives a new story concerning the state of Turkish prisons. In the Bitlis prison there are seven cells, each one large enough for 10 or 12 persons. There are between 20 and 30 crowded into each one. There are no sanitary arrangements. Armenians found in these cells have to do their own purchasing through the zabtiehs and at double the price. They are deprived of immediate communication with those outside, and letters directed to them are not delivered. What they are allowed to write must be in Turkish. And to get it written two piasters or bread equivalent to the daily ration must be given. The daily allowance of bread by law should be 300 drams, but it is never more than 250, and that is dirty and poorly baked. Often it is not delivered. The water is undrinkable. Armenians often have to drink the "Khulitch" water. This is the water of the tank where the Turks perform ablutions for prayer. Should one dare to ask for justice he is at once thrown into a dark, damp, subterranean cell. Armenians in these cells are the slaves of the caprice and severity of the Turks.

The Armenian prisoners suffer all kinds of ill usage, from which many die. The government officials' report states that they died natural deaths.

The prison keeper, named Abdal Kadeer, at Alvarig, has a salary of 300 plastors a month, yet it is said that he has two or three Turkish merchants doing business on capital loaned by him, and he has lately built a house costing about $2,500. All this money has been squeezed from the Armenian prisoners.

About three months ago three men—leading men of Kurtabaz of Pasz—were imprisoned without cause. They were put into a room already overcrowded with Kurds. Even the Kurds had not enough room to stretch out at full length to sleep at night. The Kurds told them they had received orders to ill use them. They had not room even to sit down at night and so were obliged to stand and lean against the wall. They were by that time able to gain the good will of some of the Kurds by feeding them, and they secured room enough to sit down at night. One of the Kurds for befriending them was punished by deprivation of his daily allowance of bread and he was put into chains for three or four days.

Sunday morning, April 12, a cross was discovered upon the door of the Catholic church in Arabkir. Upon it were written threats against Christians, in the Turkish language. The next Sunday morning, April 28, in the entry to one of the Protestant chapels, was found a dog's head, with a cross attached. Upon the upright part of this cross was written, "English, French, Russian, American, German, Armenian." Upon the cross piece was written: "Ye Infidels. You have become rebellious. In a short time you will see what will become of you; Oh, you traitors against the government." In the Gregorian church was found the rest of the dog, with a cross tied to its tail, upon which were written the names Bulgarian, Italian, Greek," in addition to those upon the Protestant cross; and the threats were greater. "The Armenians have grown rebellious, and others too; but it is the turn of the Armenians to be punished with the sword. Your fate has come. He who accepts the true faith is safe."

The government was at once informed of these occurrences, for aside from the threats, which at such a critical time are very serious, the greatest indignity was cast upon the Christian religion. The indignity is much greater than it would be regarded in America.

In the same city, not long ago, the police went to the house of an Armenian to arrest him for supposed "nationalism." He made some resistance, and the police, after disabling him, killed him in the presence of his family with their bayonets."

Suffering From an Old Bite.

NEW YORK, June 12.—Barnett Fishman, the 15-year-old son of Mendel Fishman, a peddler, has been taken to the Gouveneur hospital suffering from hydrophobia. Two years ago when the Fishmans left Russia, Barnett was bitten on the right hand by a dog.

To Arrange For the Cleveland Convention.

CHICAGO, June 12.—A formal call has been issued for a meeting of the executive board of the International Deep Waterways association in this city, Tuesday, the 25th, to make plans for the international convention at Cleveland in September.

Made a Fast Trip.

QUEENSTOWN, June 12.—The White Star steamship Teutonic, Captain Cameron, from New York, June 5, has arrived off Daunt's Rock, after a passage of 5 days, 23 hours and 51 minutes. This is the fastest trip she has ever made over the long route.

Time of Tickets Extended.

CLEVELAND, June 12.—At a meeting of the Cleveland passenger agents it was decided to extend the time of tickets issued on account of the national convention of Republican clubs from June 23 to June 30.

PITH OF THE NEWS

Orders were issued at Santiago de Cuba that all citizens found entering or leaving towns in the province after dark would be shot.

A satisfactory test of cellulose for uses on a warship was made at Sandy Hook.

Ex-President Harrison denied that he had been offered a $10,000 retaining fee at Indianapolis to contest the temperance law.

John M. Egan and W. H. Bancroft were appointed joint receivers of the Oregon Short Line at Salt Lake.

A lively Sunday war is in progress at Paducah, Ky.

General Bushnell will make an active campaign in Ohio after the harvest season is over.

An Australian is trying to make terms with the government of Hawaii, to subsidize an English cable from America to Australasia.

Senator Anderson of Kentucky may be made assistant land commissioner.

Hon. Michael D. Harter of Mansfield, O., addressed the students at Roanoke college, Salem, Va.

Mr. Landis, private secretary to the late Secretary Gresham, will practice law in Chicago.

THE PRESS CLUB LEAGUE.

The Convention In Session at Philadelphia.

PHILADELPHIA, June 12.—The fifteenth annual convention of the International League of Press clubs is in session in the old common council chamber in Independence hall and will be in session four days. Pen and pencil wielders from all the leading press clubs from Maine to California are in attendance. President Clarke Howell of Atlanta called the convention to order. He introduced Mayor Warwick, who delivered the speech of welcome, in which he said that the representatives of the International League of Press clubs were indeed welcome to the City of Brotherly Love, and closed by saying: "The gates of the Quaker City are now open to you."

The mayor then turned over to President Howell an old historical key, which he said, would open the gates of the city.

The president made an appropriate address on behalf of the delegates. He then called the convention to order and Secretary Vought read the list of delegates.

After the rollcall, Secretary Vought read an invitation from the Buffalo Press club, asking the convention to meet next year in Buffalo. Consideration of this and other matters of a similar character was postponed.

After the meeting the delegates were entertained at the Mercantile club with a luncheon and a musical programme by the Marine band, under the direction of Signor Fanciulli. The band was conveyed in a special train from Washington, by special permission of President Cleveland and Secretary Herbert. This is the first affair not of a national character, in which it has been permitted to participate since its organization.

Last night was devoted to "A Night In Bohemia" at the Pen and Pencil club. Besides the visiting newspaper men there was present a large number of distinguished and state officials, including Governor Hastings and his staff, attired in their full uniforms, Mayor Warwick and the heads of the various city departments.

Child Labor Condemned.

SCRANTON, Pa., June 12.—The Pennsylvania Cigarmakers' Blue Label league, in session in this city, has passed a resolution directed to Factory Inspector Campbell at Harrisburg, condemning the employment of child labor in the mines about this city. The resolution recites that the labor law is openly disregarded, and that the action taken is prompted by observations made by the delegates during the last two days.

Fifteen Men Probably Dead.

ERIE, Pa., June 12.—The wreck at Seargent, on the Philadelphia and Erie railroad, near Kane, is almost entirely consumed, but there is no possibility now of telling just how many were killed and burned. The dead man taken out of the wreck is a boilermaker and his initials are "M. H." and his home is supposed to be in Erie. It is believed 15 dead tramps are in the wreck.

A Lizard In the Milk.

JOHNSTOWN, Pa., June 12.—A lizard about two inches long was found in milk bought of a city dairyman by F. J. Walker, a prominent business man of this city. This is the second find of the same kind within a few months, and there is a strong clamor on the part of the people of the town to have the matter investigated.

Wind Kills Corn.

SOUTH CHARLESTON, O., June 12.—It now appears that this section has been visited by a regular Kansas hot wind, and one that proves extremely damaging to the corn crop. The recent windstorm was preceded by an intensely hot wind. Little was thought of it at the time, but it now proves that it killed a great deal of corn both south and east of us. The corn damaged by it has turned perfectly white, and is dead.

HARMON SWORN IN.

He Will Return to Cincinnati Before Actively Assuming His Duties.

WASHINGTON, June 12.—Mr. Harmon has been sworn in as attorney general. After the adjournment of the cabinet meeting, Secretary Olney and the new attorney general, Mr. Harmon, lunched together, and later went to the department of justice, where the assistant attorney general, the solicitor general and other prominent officials were presented to their new chief.

Mr. Harmon will return to Cincinnati in a few days to close up some business matters. This will occupy him about two weeks, when he will return here to remain during the summer with short visits to his home. His family will remain in Cincinnati for the present and will not take up their permanent residence here until autumn.

To Welcome the St. Louis.

SOUTHAMPTON, June 12.—The hotels here are rapidly filling up with large numbers of Americans who came to witness the arrival of the new steamship St. Louis.

THE MARKETS.

PITTSBURG, June 11.

WHEAT—No. 1 red, 90@91c; No. 2 red, 89@90c.

CORN—No. 2 yellow ear, 58@59c; No. 2 yellow shelled, 57@57½c; mixed ear, 56@57c.

OATS—No. 1 white, 37@37½c; No. 2 do, 36½@36¾c; extra No. 3 white, 35@35½c; mixed, 34@34½c.

HAY—No. 1 timothy, $12.75@13.00; No. 2 timothy, $12.00@12.25; packing, $9.25@9.50; No. 1 feeding prairie, $10.00@10.50; wagon hay, $16.00@18.00.

BUTTER—Elgin creamery, 21@22c; Ohio fancy creamery, 17@18c; fancy country, roll, 13@14c; low grades and cooking, 5@7c.

CHEESE—Ohio mild, new, 7@7½c; New York, new, 8@8½c; limburger, fall make, 10@11c; new, 8½@9c; Wisconsin Swiss, 12@13c; Ohio Swiss, 10@11c.

EGGS—Strictly fresh Pennsylvania and Ohio in cases, 13½@14c; ½c more for candled.

POULTRY—Large live chickens, 50@60c per pair; live chickens, small, 40@50c; spring chickens, 40@60c, as to size; ducks, 60@65c per pair, as to size; dressed chickens, 12@13c per pound; dressed spring chickens, 25c; turkeys, 12@13c per pound; ducks, 12@13c per pound.

EAST LIBERTY, Pa., June 11.

CATTLE—Receipts fair this week, consisting of 40 cars on sale. The demand is better and market stronger, compared to last week. Sales as follows: Prime, $5.50@5.75; good, $5.00@5.40; good butchers', $4.50@4.80; rough fat, $3.25@4.25; bulls, stags and cows, $2.25@3.50; fresh cows and springers, $15.00@35.00.

HOGS—Receipts fair, while the demand is only fair, market little slow at last week's closing prices. Medium Philadelphias, $4.55@4.60; mixed and best Yorkers, $4.45@4.55; common to fair Yorkers, $4.35@4.40.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Supply is liberal and the demand is only light and the market is dull at last week's prices, and the prices a shade lower than yesterday on sheep, while lambs are steady. We quote market as follows: Extra, $3.40@3.60; good, $3.10@3.30; fair, $2.10@2.50; common, 50c@1.50; best lambs, $4.00@4.25; good lambs, $3.25@3.50; common to fair lambs, $2.00@3.00; veal calves, $5.50@6.00; heavy and thin calves, $2.00@3.50; spring lambs, $3.25@5.25.

CINCINNATI, June 11.

HOGS—Market active and steady at $4.00@4.75; receipts, 1,800 head; shipments, 1,300 head.

CATTLE—Market dull and easy at $2.25@5.50; receipts, 300 head; shipments, 500 head.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Sheep, market dull at $1.50@3.50; receipts, 3,100 head; shipments, 1,700 head. Lambs, market dull and weak at $2.50@5.75.

NEW YORK, June 11.

WHEAT—Spot market dull. No. 2 red store and elevator, 82¼c; afloat, 83¼c; f. o. b., 84¼c afloat; No. 1 hard, 88c delivered.

CORN—Spot market irregular. No. 2, 55½c elevator; 56½c afloat; yellow, 57c.

OATS—Spot market quiet. No. 2, 33½@33¾c; No. 2 delivered, 34½@35c; No. 3, 33@33½c; No. 2 white, 37c; No. 3 white, 36½c; track white, 37@43c.

CATTLE—European cables quote American steers at 10½@11¼c per pound, dressed weight; refrigerator beef at 9¼@10½c per pound.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Dull but not lower. Sheep, poor to fair, $2.00@3.25; lambs, common to good, $4.00@6.75; no prime or choice offered.

HOGS—Market steady at $4.50@4.90.

THE WORK OF FIENDS.

Forest Fires Near Bradford Started by Indendiaries.

BLAZE STARTED WITH KEROSENE.

A Saturated Apron Found In a Lumber Yard and a Man Seen Running From the Spot—Woods All Ablaze at Several Points.

BRADFORD, Pa., June 12.—The forest fires that have been burning in this vicinity since last Saturday are about under control, unless a brisk wind should set in. T. H. Barnsdell lost an oil rig at Coon Run, and it is believed that it was the work of some miscreant, as there was no fire within two miles of the well. Several fires have been started in this locality by unknown parties of late. An effort is being made to catch the perpetrators of the crimes, and if discovered they will be summarily dealt with.

A stubborn fire is raging near Ormsby, in close proximity to the oil field and men are being sent from all directions to fight the flames. There has been considerable loss, but it is impossible to state how much. The Devonian Oil company lost two derricks and the Emery Oil company one.

A Glen Hazel special says: It has been discovered that an incipient fire in W. S. Weed & Co.'s lumberyards was started by incendiaries. J. P. Wagoner, W. S. Weed & Co.'s railroad agent at this place, picked from the burning pile a piece of cloth which proved to be a piece of a woman's white apron, thoroughly saturated with kerosene oil. The smell of oil was strongly noticed by the first ones on the scene. There is no doubt but that the pile of lumber was set on fire, and probably by some one that has a desire for some unknown reason to burn out W. S. Weed & Co.'s place or else the whole town. It is claimed by some that they saw a man running from the yard directly after the alarm was given, and one man claims that his clothing was on fire. The report is believed to be true, as several reliable persons claim to have seen him. The entire community coincide in saying that it is only a question of time when the fiend, whoever he is, will succeed in burning the entire town. Had the fire been an hour later, nothing could have saved the greater part of the town.

A Watson Farm special says: A big fire is raging in the woods of Forest county and there seems to be no end of fires. The hemlock and bark woods are on fire and all sides and much damage is being done. At Freibledale the woods are one solid mass of flames, and it is impossible to estimate the loss to lumbermen. Unless rain falls soon the whole country will be in ruins.

A Sharon Center special says: The forest fires east of this place are playing havoc with valuable timber and bark. Men are fighting the flames but with little success, and there is no telling what the damage will amount to.

An Oswayo special says: Forest fires have done a great deal of damage five miles east of here. A large quantity of bark, timber and sawed lumber, the property of the Bingham company, has been destroyed. The flames are still raging, and the loss will be heavy. No estimate can be made of the losses sustained in this section. A large force of men have been fighting the fires for a week and are almost exhausted.

Campbell Divorce Suit Compromised.

PARKERSBURG, W. Va., June 12.—The divorce suit of Mrs. Katherine Campbell, daughter of ex-Congressman C. B. Smith, against George Campbell, a noted horseman and the late proprietor of the Blennerhassett hotel, which has promised very sensational developments, was compromised by Campbell paying $2,500 to his wife and $300 to her attorneys, and signing a stipulation to make no defense in the next term of court, allowing his wife to obtain the decree by default.

Reformed Church Synod.

GRAND RAPIDS, June 12.—The Reformed church general synod has elected Rev. James W. Scudder as professor of theology in Orcutt theological seminary, India. Prof. Scudder is now a missionary in India. Frank R. Vannest of New York was elected secretary of the board of general direction and his salary fixed at $2,500. The meeting of the synod next year will be held at Catskill, N. Y.

Employes Get a Raise.

BETHLEHEM, Pa., June 12.—Notices have been posted announcing an increase from 5 to 10 per cent in the wages of the 2,000 employes of the Bethlehem Iron company, who suffered a reduction of that amount in January, 1894. The furnace men were raised on the first of the month.

Both Men Drowned.

PHILADELPHIA, June 12.—John Kimball, aged 28, of St. Louis and August Klensmith, Jr., aged 28, of this city, were fishing from a rowboat in the Delaware river, opposite Bridge street, Frankford, when they were run down by the tugboat C. E. Lenox of Trenton. The boat was upset, and both men were drowned.

THE WORK OF HER ENEMY.

And It Was Such an Awfully Mean Thing to Do Too.

"It was Miss Miggs; I know it was!" she exclaimed angrily. "She is the only girl in the city who is mean enough to do such a thing."

"Such a thing as what?" asked her dearest friend.

"As that!" she cried, holding up a letter and glaring at it. "It is an insult—a disgraceful insult—but I know that he could not be intentionally guilty of such an affront. She must have put him up to it."

"Who is he?" asked the dearest friend, anxiously working to get at the story.

"Why, Roger McGurhan, of course," she returned in the same quick, excited manner. "Who else should it be. Hasn't he been calling here for the last three months? Hasn't he been almost on the point of proposing twice? Didn't I have everything arranged to catch him next time? And now comes this!"

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"Read!" replied the haughty young beauty as she tossed the letter to her friend. It was as follows:

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The Commodore of the U. S. Cruiser Raleigh Ordered to Thoroughly Patrol the Florida Coast—Customs Collectors Ordered to Detain Suspected Vessels.

WASHINGTON, June 12.—Acting Secretary McAdoo of the navy department says that the instructions sent to the commodore of the cruiser Raleigh for his guidance when on patrol duty off the Florida coast are of the most comprehensive kind, and provide for a full and strict enforcement of the neutrality laws. The Raleigh probably will go first to Key West. This is the only port on the Florida coast which a vessel of her draught can safely enter. She then will make a thorough patrol of the coastline and to render it more difficult for a filibustering party to get away, the cruiser steam launches and small boats will be manned whenever it is necessary to look into narrow inlets and passes for light draft schooners and yachts, which are the favorite means of transportation of the filibusterers.

With Spanish men-of-war flying off the Florida coast outside of the 3 mile limit and the Raleigh and her boats sweeping the inside waters, the over-enthusiastic Cubans and their American sympathizers who undertake to drive the United States into trouble by using Florida as a base of hostile operations against the government of Cuba are likely to be repressed with a strong hand. The position of the administration is that they must make all honorable efforts to prevent the abuse of its territory in this way, and if the measures already adopted are not sufficient to secure the enforcement of the neutrality laws to a degree that we have ourselves insisted upon when our own interests were concerned, then active steps may be taken ashore to move upon the people who have laid themselves open to prosecution by organizing hostile expeditions and aiding in illegal ways the warfare on a friendly nation.

THE RALEIGH.

The following letter has been sent to all collectors of customs on the coast from New York to Rio Grande by the treasury department and signed by the acting secretary: "It is a matter of rumor that at various points in the United States attempts are being made to enlist men to equip and arm vessels and by other illegal measures, to aid the insurrection now in progress in the Island of Cuba. While this department has not been furnished with tangible evidence confirmatory of such rumors, it deems it of great importance that no possible opportunity be given for complaints that the government of the United States has in any respect fallen short of its duty to a friendly nation. Collectors of customs for the several districts between New York and Brownsville are especially enjoined to see to it that the neutrality laws of the United States, particularly sections 5289 and 5290 of the revised statutes are fully complied with.

The sections of the revised statute referred to are as follows:

"Sec. 5289. The owners or consignees of every armed vessel sailing out of the ports of the United States, belonging wholly or in part to citizens thereof, shall, before clearing out the same, give bond to the United States with sufficient sureties, in double the amount of the value of the vessel and cargo on board, including her armament, and conditioned that the vessel shall not be employed by such owners to cruise or commit hostilities against the subjects or citizens or property of any foreign prince or state, or of any colony, district or people, with whom the United States are at peace.

"Sec. 5290. The several collectors of customs shall detain any vessel manifestly built for warlike purposes, and about to depart from the United States, the cargo of which principally consists of arms and munitions of war, when the number of men shipped on board, or other circumstances render it probable that such vessel is intended to be employed by the owners to cruise or commit hostilities upon the subjects, citizens, or property of any foreign prince or state, or of any colony, district or people with whom the United States are at peace, until the decision of the president is had thereon, or until the owner gives such bond and security as is required of the owners of armed vessels by the preceding section."

A Big Bicycle Meet.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., June 12.—Six thousand people saw nearly all the crack bicyclists of country come in all kinds of contests at the annual meet of the Lakeview Wheelmen, at the Driving park. Besides being entertained by the races, in which a majority of the Class B and Class A men of note competed, they saw F. J. Titus, paced by a tandem, ride a mile in 2:02, lowering the state record; saw Dirnberger, better known as King Michael, cover the same course in 2:04 3-5, and Arthur Zimmerman ride an exhibition mile in the slow time of 2:14 1-5. Taken all together it was an excellent programme.

James Booming Lincoln.

NEW YORK, June 12.—Ex-Postmaster General Thomas L. James, president of the Lincoln National bank, is fertilizing a presidential boom for Robert Lincoln. Mr. Lincoln is practicing law in Chicago. He is a son of Abraham Lincoln. President Garfield made him secretary of war and President Harrison sent him as minister to England. A number of personal friends, like Mr. James, think he would make a safe presidential candidate, but the bosses don't.

The A. O. U. W. Supreme Lodge.

CHICAGO, June 12. — The Supreme lodge of the Ancient Order of United Workmen is in session here. Master Workman L. L. Troy stated that the total number of lodges was 4,973, a net increase for the year of 97. The total membership of the order was 341,371, an increase of 10,545, 3,508 members having died during the year. The total income had been $7,644,974, and the disbursements $7,678,399.

Will Build a New Line.

CLEVELAND, June 12.—It is now reported that the Brice syndicate, which last week secured control of the Pittsburg, Akron and Western raiload, has in mind the early construction of a 5-mile line from Akron to Brimfield, there to connect with the Cleveland, Canton and Southern. It is also said that the syndicate is now negotiating for the control of the Cleveland, Canton and Southern.

Knights and Ladies of Honor.

ST. LOUIS, June 13.—The tenth biennial session of the grand lodge of the Knights and Ladies of Honor of Missouri, is being held here with a large attendance. The most important matters to come up will be the election of officers and the selection of two representatives to the supreme lodge meeting, which will be held in St. Louis in September.

Goff's Decision Reversed.

RICHMOND, June 12. — The United States circuit court of appeals has dissolved the injunction granted by Judge Goff, in the South Carolina registration cases. This action was unanimous.

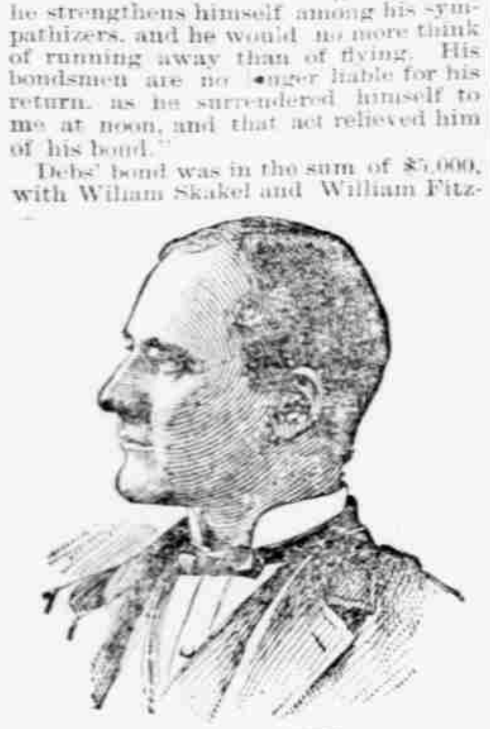
WHERE IS MR. DEBS?

The U. S. Marshal Does Not Believe He Has Skipped Out.

CHICAGO, June 12.—United States Marshal Arnold does not believe that Eugene V. Debs has skipped out although he failed to show up at the appointed time to be taken to the Woodstock jail, as decreed by the United States supreme court.

He said: "He has all to lose and nothing to gain by such a move. He would be a fugitive from justice and would not dare to return to the United States. He feels that in going to jail he strengthens himself among his sympathizers, and he would no more think of running away than of flying. His bondsmen are no longer liable for his return, as he surrendered himself to me at noon, and that act relieved him of his bond."

Debs' bond was in the sum of $5,000, with William Skakel and William Fitzgerald as bondsmen. In addition, he is under bonds to the district court on criminal charges in the sum of $20,000 with the same bondsmen.



EUGENE V. DEBS.

A DEAD MAN CLEARED.

The Late Senator Buck Didn't Kill Nellie Harrington.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 12.—The coroner's inquest into the death of Miss Nellie Harrington, murdered in her own room ten days ago, has been concluded. The testimony of four additional witnesses completed a perfect alibi for the late Senator Buck. I. W. Lees, chief of local detective forces, stated that he had followed every clue and every person having any apparent possible connection with the case, he was absolutely in the dark regarding the identity of the murderer, and admitted that he had not even a suspicion concerning the possible slayers.

Referring to the wounds upon the body of the murdered woman, Lees said they indicated that the murder was most brutal. He was satisfied that the murderer was thoroughly familiar with premises. He was convinced that the crime had not been committed for the purpose of robbery. The fatal wounds had probably been inflicted by a pistol used as a club. The jury returned a verdict of murder committed by some unknown person.

STRIKING AT THE A. P. A.

A Circular Distributed In Youngstown Giving Members and Minutes.

YOUNGSTOWN, O., June 12.—A pamphlet of 60 pages has been circulated here purporting to give the roll of membership of Council No. 78 of the American Protective association with the ritual of the order and a transcript of the minutes of each meeting held for several months with all the business transacted. It was claimed by friends of ex-Chief of Police Cantwell that his being dispossed from office was due to the influence of the A. P. A., who had decided that his official head should fall in the basket, and the object of the pamphlet is evidently to show that that view was correct.

The minutes show that it was decided to boycott several prominent business men, and that committees were appointed to call upon city officials and notify them that certain candidates for office should be defeated. The candidates were not successful. The roster as published contains the names of many prominent men who have denied that they were in any way connected with the A. P. A.

A SALOON WAR.

An Active Fight on In Springfield, O. Saloonkeepers Being Arrested.

SPRINGFIELD, O., June 12.—A desperate effort is being made by the saloon interests in this city to have the present 10 o'clock saloon ordinance changed to 11 or 11:30 o'clock. A tremendous crusade has been carried on by the police during the past few weeks against the saloonkeepers, following the election of Mayor Mast, who represent the religious element in politics.

Hardly a day passes but what a saloonkeeper is taken up and fined. The saloonkeepers claim that Springfield is being injured by the enforcement of the ordinance. They point to the fact that on the recent visit of the Columbus Buckeye club to General Bushnell the visitors were unable to get any beer while waiting for their train, and consequently carried away a bad impression of the city.

Cleveland Will Go to Atlanta.

WASHINGTON, June 12.—President Cleveland has accepted an invitation tendered by representative citizens of Atlanta to visit the Atlanta exposition. He will leave Washington by special train on the evening of Oct. 21, and arrive in Atlanta on the afternoon of the 22d. The 23rd has been set apart as president's day, when the chief executive will visit the exposition. The cabinet will likely go also.

One Bad Man Kills Another.

SERGENT, Ky., June 12.—News comes here from Beaver, Floyd county, that John Amburgy and a man named Martin engaged in a battle at the home of Amburgy, near Beaver, Floyd county, which resulted in the death of Martin and the probable fatal wounding of Amburgy. The men had long been terrors in the neighborhood, and they had been enemies for some time. Martin went to Amburgy's house with revolver in hand and ordered him out, but instead Amburgy opened fire and the duel followed.

Puddlers Still Fighting.

CLEVELAND, June 12.—Another conference is soon to be held by committees of the Amalgamated Association of Iron, Steel and Tin Workers, and the Manufacturers' association of the Mahoning and Shenango valleys concerning the scale of wages drafted by the former at the recent convention in this city. The puddlers will go into that conference organized for war. The scale fixes their wages at $4.00 per ton and they will demand $5.00, though they will be willing to accept $4.50, as a compromise.

Washington Succeeds Canton.

WHEELING, June 12.—Washington, Pa., is to be the successor of Canton in the Interstate Baseball association. E. G. Barrows of the Wheeling club has completed the deal. The Washington's will be ready to play next Monday. The club there is being backed by the oil king, Byron McKeown, and Dave Curran, formerly of the Washington and Jefferson team, will be the manager. To help the new club the seven other clubs will each donate a player to Washington.

Rev. Sheldrake Fired.

PITTSBURG, June 12.—The case of Evangelist George H. Sheldrake, charged with immorality, was considered by the Pittsburg presbytery, which met in the First church, Wood street, yesterday. He was deposed from the ministry and excluded from the communion of the church.

CHRISTIANITY'S FATE.

Its Future at Stake In Eastern Turkey.

ARMENIANS SUFFER HORRORS.

How Long Will the Turkish Government Be Allowed to Sanction the Murder of Innocent Christians?—Terrible Suffering of Prisoners in the Turkish Prisons.

BOSTON, June 12.—A reliable American resident in Turkey, in a letter about the situation in Eastern Turkey, received here, says there is one theme which concentrates attention, namely, the condition and the prospects of the country. It is not only the cause of common humanity which interests us. The question now pending holds within it the life or death of Oriental Christianity. Are those wicked and Godless fanatics to be permitted to dip their swords further in the blood of innocent Christians, not only in general massacres, but on highways, in their own homes, in their fields, and worse than all, in the prisons, by the hands of the government itself? Day after day the pitiful story is told over and over again of pillage, burning, torture, murder, violence, rape, abduction, confiscation, desecration of churches, etc. Mere human aid is entirely insufficient; the intricacies of the political question involved, put the solution of the problem far beyond our reach.

The letter gives a new story concerning the state of Turkish prisons. In the Bitlis prison there are seven cells, each one large enough for 10 or 12 persons. There are between 20 and 30 crowded into each one. There are no sanitary arrangements. Armenians found in these cells have to do their own purchasing through the zabtiehs and at double the price. They are deprived of immediate communication with those outside, and letters directed to them are not delivered. What they are allowed to write must be in Turkish. And to get it written two piasters or broad equivalent to the daily ration must be given. The daily allowance of bread by law should be 300 drams, but it is never more than 250, and that is dirty and poorly baked. Often it is not delivered. The water is undrinkable. Armenians often have to drink the "Khaliteh" water. This is the water of the tank where the Turks perform ablutions for prayer. Should one dare to ask for justice he is at once thrown into a dark, damp, subterranean cell. Armenians in these cells are the slaves of the caprice and severity of the Turks.

The Armenian prisoners suffer all kinds of ill usage, from which many die. The government officials' report states that they died natural deaths.

The prison keeper, named Abdul Kader, at Alvarig, has a salary of 300 piasters a month, yet it is said that he has two or three Turkish merchants doing business on capital loaned by him, and he has lately built a house costing about $1,500. All this money has been squeezed from the Armenian prisoners.

About three months ago three men—leading men of Kurtaley of Pasiz—were imprisoned without cause. They were put into a room already overcrowded with Kurds. Even the Kurds had not enough room to stretch out at full length to sleep at night. The Kurds told them they had received orders to ill use them. They had not room even to sit down at night and so were obliged to stand and lean against the wall. They were by that time able to gain the good will of some of the Kurds by feeding them, and they secured room enough to sit down at night. One of the Kurds for befriending them was punished by deprivation of his daily allowance of bread and he was put into chains for three or four days.

Sunday morning, April 12, a cross was discovered upon the door of the Catholic church in Arabkir. Upon it were written threats against Christians, in the Turkish language. The next Sunday morning, April 28, in the entry to one of the Protestant chapels, was found a dog's head, with a cross attached. Upon the upright part of this cross was written, "English, French, Russian, American, German, Armenian." Upon the cross piece was written: "Ye infidels. You have become rebellious. In a short time you will see what will become of you; Oh, you traitors against the government." In the Gregorian church was found the rest of the dog, with a cross tied to its tail, upon which were written the names Bulgarian, Italian, Greek," in addition to those upon the Protestant cross; and the threats were greater. "The Armenians have grown rebellious, and others too, but it is the turn of the Armenians to be punished with the sword. Your fate has come. He who accepts the true faith is safe."

The government was at once informed of these occurrences, for aside from the threats, which at such a critical time are very serious, the greatest indignity was cast upon the Christian religion. The indignity is much greater than it would be regarded in America.

In the same city, not long ago, the police went to the house of an Armenian to arrest him for supposed "nationalism." He made some resistance, and the police, after disabling him, killed him in the presence of his family with their bayonets."

Suffering From an Old Bite.

NEW YORK, June 12.—Barnett Fishman, the 15-year-old son of Mendel Fishman, a peddler, has been taken to the Gouverneur hospital suffering from hydrophobia. Two years ago when the Fishmans left Russia, Barnett was bitten on the right hand by a dog.

To Arrange For the Cleveland Convention.

CHICAGO, June 12.—A formal call has been issued for a meeting of the executive board of the International Deep Waterways association in this city, Tuesday, the 25th, to make plans for the international convention at Cleveland in September.

Made a Fast Trip.

QUEENSTOWN, June 12.—The White Star steamship Teutonic, Captain Cameron, from New York, June 5, has arrived off Daunt's Rock, after a passage of 5 days, 23 hours and 51 minutes. This is the fastest trip she has ever made over the long route.

Time of Tickets Extended.

CLEVELAND, June 12.—At a meeting of the Cleveland passenger agents it was decided to extend the time of tickets issued on account of the national convention of Republican clubs from June 23 to June 30.

PITH OF THE NEWS

Orders were issued at Santiago de Cuba that all citizens found entering or leaving towns in the province after dark would be shot.

A satisfactory test of cellulose for uses on a warship was made at Sandy Hook.

Ex-President Harrison denied that he had been offered a $10,000 retaining fee at Indianapolis to contest the temperance law.

John M. Egan and W. H. Bancroft were appointed joint receivers of the Oregon Short Line at Salt Lake.

A lively Sunday war is in progress at Paducah, Ky.

General Bushnell will make an active campaign in Ohio after the harvest season is over.

An Australian is trying to make terms with the government of Hawaii, to subsidize an English cable from America to Australasia.

Senator Anderson of Kentucky may be made assistant land commissioner.

Hon. Michael D. Harter of Mansfield, O., addressed the students at Roanoke college, Salem, Va.

Mr. Landis, private secretary to the late Secretary Gresham, will practice law in Chicago.

THE PRESS CLUB LEAGUE.

The Convention In Session at Philadelphia.

PHILADELPHIA, June 12.—The fifteenth annual convention of the International League of Press clubs is in session in the old common council chamber in Independence hall and will be in session four days. Pen and pencil wielders from all the leading press clubs from Maine to California are in attendance. President Clarke Howell of Atlanta called the convention to order. He introduced Mayor Warwick, who delivered the speech of welcome, in which he said that the representatives of the International League of Press clubs were indeed welcome to the City of Brotherly Love, and closed by saying: "The gates of the Quaker City are now open to you."

The mayor then turned over to President Howell an old historical key, which he said, would open the gates of the city.

The president made an appropriate address on behalf of the delegates. He then called the convention to order and Secretary Vought read the list of delegates.

After the rollcall, Secretary Vought read an invitation from the Buffalo Press club, asking the convention to meet next year in Buffalo. Consideration of this and other matters of a similar character was postponed.

After the meeting the delegates were entertained at the Mercantile club with luncheon and a musical programme by the Marine band, under the direction of Signor Fanciulli. The band was conveyed in a special train from Washington, by special permission of President Cleveland and Secretary Herbert. This is the first affair not of a national character, in which it has been permitted to participate since its organization.

Last night was devoted to "A Night In Bohemia" at the Pen and Pencil club. Besides the visiting newspaper men there was present a large number of distinguished and state officials, including Governor Hastings and his staff, attired in their full uniforms, Mayor Warwick and the heads of the various city departments.

Child Labor Condemned.

SCRANTON, Pa., June 12.—The Pennsylvania Cigarmakers' Blue Label league, in session in this city, has passed a resolution directed to Factory Inspector Campbell at Harrisburg, condemning the employment of child labor in the mines about this city. The resolution recites that the labor law is openly disregarded, and that the action taken is prompted by observations made by the delegates during the last two days.

Fifteen Men Probably Dead.

ERIE, Pa., June 12.—The wreck at Seargent, on the Philadelphia and Erie railroad, near Kane, is almost entirely consumed, but there is no possibility now of telling just how many were killed and burned. The dead man taken out of the wreck is a boilermaker and his initials are "M. H." and his home is supposed to be in Erie. It is believed 15 dead tramps are in the wreck.

A Lizard In the Milk.

JOHNSTOWN, Pa., June 12.—A lizard about two inches long was found in milk bought of a city dairyman by F. J. Walker, a prominent business man of this city. This is the second find of the same kind within a few months, and there is a strong clamor on the part of the people of the town to have the matter investigated.

Wind Kills Corn.

SOUTH CHARLESTON, O., June 12.—It now appears that this section has been visited by a regular Kansas hot wind, and one that proves extremely damaging to the corn crop. The recent windstorm was preceded by an intensely hot wind. Little was thought of it at the time, but it now proves that it killed a great deal of corn both south and east of us. The corn damaged by it has turned perfectly white, and is dead.

HARMON SWORN IN.

He Will Return to Cincinnati Before Actively Assuming His Duties.

WASHINGTON, June 12.—Mr. Harmon has been sworn in as attorney general. After the adjournment of the cabinet meeting, Secretary Olney and the new attorney general, Mr. Harmon, lunched together, and later went to the department of justice, where the assistant attorney general, the solicitor general and other prominent officials were presented to their new chief.

Mr. Harmon will return to Cincinnati in a few days to close up some business matters. This will occupy him about two weeks, when he will return here to remain during the summer with short visits to his home. His family will remain in Cincinnati for the present and will not take up their permanent residence here until autumn.

To Welcome the St. Louis.

SOUTHAMPTON, June 12.—The hotels here are rapidly filling up with large numbers of Americans who came to witness the arrival of the new steamship St. Louis.

THE MARKETS.

PITTSBURG, June 11.

WHEAT—No. 1 red, 90@91c; No. 2 red, 89@90c.

CORN—No. 2 yellow ear, 58@59c; No. 2 yellow shelled, 57@57½c; mixed ear, 56@57c.

OATS—No. 1 white, 37@37½c; No. 2 do, 36@36½c; extra No. 3 white, 35@35½c; mixed, 34@34½c.

HAY—No. 1 timothy, $12.75@13.00; No. 2 timothy, $12.00@12.25; packing, $9.25@9.50; No. 1 feeding prairie, $10.00@10.50; wagon hay, $16.00@18.00.

BUTTER—Elgin creamery, 21@22c; Ohio fancy creamery, 17@19c; fancy country, roll, 13@14c; low grades and cooking, 5@7c.

CHEESE—Ohio mild, new, 7@7½c; New York, new, 8@8½c; limberger, fall make, 10@11c; new, 8½@9c; Wisconsin Swiss, 12@13c; Ohio Swiss, 10@11c.

EGGS—Strictly fresh Pennsylvania and Ohio in cases, 13½@14c; ½@1c more for candled.

POULTRY—Large live chickens, 50@60c per pair; live chickens, small, 40@50c; spring chickens, 40@60c as to size; ducks, 60@65c per pair, as to size; dressed chickens, 13@15c per pound; dressed spring chickens, 25c; turkeys, 12@13c per pound; ducks, 12@13c per pound.

EAST LIBERTY, Pa., June 11.

CATTLE—Receipts fair this week, consisting of 40 cars on sale. The demand is better and market stronger, compared to last week. Sales as follows: Prime, $5.50@5.75; good, $5.00@5.40; good butchers', $4.50@4.80; rough fat, $3.25@4.25; bulls, stags and cows, $2.25@3.50; fresh cows and springers, $15.00@35.00.

HOGS—Receipts fair, while the demand is only fair, market little slow at last week's closing prices. Medium Philadelphias, $4.55@4.60; mixed and best Yorkers, $4.45@4.55; common to fair Yorkers, $4.35@4.40.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Supply is liberal and the demand is only light and the market is dull at last week's prices, and the prices a shade lower than yesterday on sheep, while lambs are steady. We quote market as follows: Extra, $3.40@3.60; good, $3.10@3.30; fair, $2.10@2.50; common, 50c@1.50; best lambs, $4.00@4.25; good lambs, $3.75@3.90; common to fair lambs, $2.00@3.00; veal calves, $5.50@6.00; heavy and thin calves, $2.00@3.50; spring lambs, $3.25@5.25.

CINCINNATI, June 11.

HOGS—Market active and steady at $4.05@4.75; receipts, 1,800 head; shipments, 1,300 head.

CATTLE—Market dull and easy at $2.25@5.50; receipts, 300 head; shipments, 500 head.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Sheep, market dull and lower at $1.50@3.50; receipts, 3,100 head; shipments, 1,500 head. Lambs, market dull and weak at $2.50@5.75.

NEW YORK, June 11.

WHEAT—Spot market dull. No. 2 red store and elevator, 82½c; afloat, 83½c; f. o. b., 84½c afloat; No. 1 hard, 88c delivered.

CORN—Spot market irregular. No. 2, 55½c elevator; 56½c afloat; yellow, 57c.

OATS—Spot market quiet. No. 2, 33½@34½c; No. 2 delivered, 34@35½c; No. 3, 33@33½c; No. 2 white, 37c; No. 3 white, 36½c; track white, 37@43c.

CATTLE—European cables quote American steers at 10½@11½c per pound, dressed weight; refrigerator beef at 9½@10½c per pound.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Dull but not lower. Sheep, poor to fair, $2.00@3.25; lambs, common to good, $4.00@6.75; no prime or choice offered.

HOGS—Market steady at $4.50@4.90.

THE WORK OF FIENDS.

Forest Fires Near Bradford Started by Indendiaries.

BLAZE STARTED WITH KEROSENE.

A Saturated Apron Found In a Lumber Yard and a Man Seen Running From the Spot—Woods All Ablaze at Several Points.

BRADFORD, Pa., June 12.—The forest fires that have been burning in this vicinity since last Saturday are about under control, unless a brisk wind should set in. T. H. Barnsdell lost an oil rig at Coon Run, and it is believed that it was the work of some miscreant, as there was no fire within two miles of the well. Several fires have been started in this locality by unknown parties of late. An effort is being made to catch the perpetrators of the crimes, and if discovered they will be summarily dealt with.

A stubborn fire is raging near Ormsby, in close proximity to the oil field, and men are being sent from all directions to fight the flames. There has been considerable loss, but it is impossible to state how much. The Devonian Oil company lost two derricks and the Emery Oil company one.

A Glen Hazel special says: It has been discovered that an incipient fire in W. S. Weed & Co.'s lumberyards was started by incendiaries. J. P. Wagoner, W. S. Weed & Co.'s railroad agent at this place, picked from the burning pile a piece of cloth which proved to be a piece of a woman's white apron, thoroughly saturated with kerosene oil. The smell of oil was strongly noticed by the first ones on the scene. There is no doubt but that the pile of lumber was set on fire, and probably by some one that has a desire for some unknown reason to burn out W. S. Weed & Co.'s place or else the whole town. It is claimed by some that they saw a man running from the yard directly after the alarm was given, and one man claims that his clothing was on fire. The report is believed to be true, as several reliable persons claim to have seen him. The entire community coincide in saying that it is only a question of time when the fiend, whoever he is, will succeed in burning the entire town. Had the fire been an hour later, nothing could have saved the greater part of the town.

A Watson Farm special says: A big fire is raging in the woods of Forest county and there seems to be no end of fires. The hemlock and bark woods are on fire and all sides and much damage is being done. At Freddiedale the woods are one solid mass of flames, and it is impossible to estimate the loss to lumbermen. Unless rain falls soon the whole country will be in ruins.

A Sharon Center special says: The forest fires east of this place are playing havoc with valuable timber and bark. Men are fighting the flames but with little success, and there is no telling what the damage will amount to.

An Oswayo special says: Forest fires have done a great deal of damage five miles east of here. A large quantity of bark, timber and sawed lumber, the property of the Bingham company, has been destroyed. The flames are still raging, and the loss will be heavy. No estimate can be made of the losses sustained in this section. A large force of men have been fighting the fires for a week and are almost exhausted.

Campbell Divorce Suit Compromised.

PARKERSBURG, W. Va., June 12.—The divorce suit of Mrs. Katherine Campbell, daughter of ex-Congressman C. B. Smith, against George Campbell, a noted horseman and the late proprietor of the Blennerhasset hotel, which has promised very sensational developments, was compromised by Campbell paying $2,500 to his wife and $500 to her attorneys, and signing a stipulation to make no defense in the next term of court, allowing his wife to obtain the decree by default.

Reformed Church Synod.

GRAND RAPIDS, June 12.—The Reformed church general synod has elected Rev. James W. Scudder as professor of theology in Orcutt theological seminary, India. Prof. Scudder is now a missionary in India. Frank R. Vannest of New York was elected secretary of the board of general direction and his salary fixed at $2,500. The meeting of the synod next year will be held at Catskill, N. Y.

Employes Get a Raise.

BETHLEHEM, Pa., June 12.—Notices have been posted announcing an increase from 5 to 10 per cent in the wages of the 2,000 employes of the Bethlehem Iron company, who suffered a reduction of that amount in January, 1894. The furnace men were raised on the first of the month.

Both Men Drowned.

PHILADELPHIA, June 12.—John Kimball, aged 28, of St. Louis and August Klensmith, Jr., aged 28, of this city, were fishing from a rowboat in the Delaware river, opposite Bridge street, Frankford, when they were run down by the tugboat C. E. Lenox of Trenton. The boat was upset, and both men were drowned.

THE WORK OF HER ENEMY.

And It Was Such an Awfully Mean Thing to Do Too.

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"Such a thing as what?" asked her dearest friend.

"As that!" she cried, holding up a letter and glaring at it. "It is an insult—a disgraceful insult—but I know that he could not be intentionally guilty of such an affront. She must have put him up to it."

"Who is he?" asked the dearest friend, anxiously working to get at the story.

"Why, Roger McGurhan, of course," she returned in the same quick, excited manner. "Who else should it be. Hasn't he been calling here for the last three months? Hasn't he been almost on the point of proposing twice? Didn't I have everything arranged to catch him next time? And now comes this!"

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"Read!" replied the haughty young beauty as she tossed the letter to her friend. It was as follows:

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